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# In Memoriam

# ARTHUR DOUGLASS GRAY

1907 - 1979



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President of Talladega College, 1952-62

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As Chairman of the Executive Committee of the General Council of Congregational Christian Churches of America, Dr. Gray was instrumental in achieving the merger of the Congregational and Evangelical and Reformed Churches, thus establishing the United Church of Christ.

Dr. Gray's career included service in many other capacities: the Executive Council of the United Church of Christ; the Illinois Commission on Human Relations; the Alabama Council on Human Relations; the Board of Directors, Chicago Branch, N.A.A.C.P.; Board of Directors, United Negro College Fund; Welfare Council of Metropolitan Chicago; President, Community Renewal Society; trustee of Talladega College; the United Church of Christ Ministers for Racial and Social Justice; and the United Black Churchmen of the United Church of Christ.

Dr. Gray was born in Sheffield, Alabama on January 17, 1907. He was educated at Talladega College and Chicago Theological Seminary. In March 1932, he married Edna Brown. Dr. Gray died June 22, 1979, while attending General Synod XII of the United Church of Christ.

The Massachusetts Conference is grateful to Mrs. Arthur Gray, their daughter Clarice and grandchildren, Monica and Mario, for sharing Dr. Gray with the Conference for a year and a half.

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It is recommended and earnestly requested that church treasurers remit monthly such funds as are in hand, and that the final remittance for each calendar year be

sent before December 31, if credit is desired in the next Year Book.

Copies of the Act of Incorporation may be had on application to P.O. Box 2246,

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The "Minutes" are sent to the churches by direction of the Conference, with distribution of one copy to every minister, one to every church clerk, one to every Conference official or committee member, one to each local Association official named within, and one to every life member of the Massachusetts Home Missionary Society. As long as the edition lasts, other copies may be secured for **Two Dollars** upon application to the Registrar, P.O. Box 2246, Salem End and Badger Roads, Framingham, Mass. 01701. It is suggested that every church preserve a copy of the "Minutes" with its other records.

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#### ORIGIN OF MASSACHUSETTS HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY

In 1827 the Massachusetts Missionary Society and the Domestic Missionary Society of Massachusetts Proper (which had come into being in 1818 to "see every parish in the State well supplied with a faithful Minister of Christ"), were united under the name of the Massachusetts Missionary Society. This meant that while the Domestic Missionary Society of Massachusetts Proper lost its name, the Massachusetts Missionary Society was henceforth to work almost exclusively in Massachusetts.

The Massachusetts Missionary Society became the Massachusetts "Home" Missionary Society in 1844. This was simply to emphasize that the work of the Society had become exclusively for America and for the Massachusetts part of America.

#### ORIGIN OF MASSACHUSETTS CONFERENCE

The General Association of Massachusetts came into being in 1802. This ultimately became the Massachusetts Congregational Conference. The Conference then merged with the Massachusetts Home Missionary Society in 1927, to become the Massachusetts Congregational Conference and Missionary Society. This was the result of twenty-seven years' agitation, accelerated by a recommendation of the National Council in 1907. The charter of the Massachusetts Home Missionary Society was used as the basis for the union of the two organizations. In 1953 the name was changed to Massachusetts Congregational Christian Conference. In 1966 the name was changed again to the Massachusetts Conference of the United Church of Christ. The Conference assumes responsibility for all Congregational missionary work done in Massachusetts. It has an Executive Staff who gives ministerial and executive leadership to a broad program of work designed to help the churches, to develop the fellowship of the ministers and churches, and to cultivate practical support for denominational and interdenominational projects and programs.

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Kim Waterhouse, 87 Holden St., Worcester 01606	617-853-8429
*Jack Zappulla, 696 Washington St., Holliston 01746	617-429-1454
Two members to be appointed.	011 120 1101
Two members to be appointed.	
MBA	
Amy Lockwood, 8 Victoria Circle, Norwood 02062	617-769-1094
Mark Thompson, 155 Beach St., Foxboro 02035	617-543-4947
Three members to be appointed.	
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Northeast Area	
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*Ted Foss, 16 Alexander Circle, Marblehead 01945	617-631-0888
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Five members to be appointed.	
1170 Members to be appointed.	
Western Area	
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Four members to be appointed.	110 000 0120
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<sup>\*</sup>Adult Members

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#### GENERAL SYNOD DELEGATES

#### CLASS OF 1979

#### DELEGATES

#### ALTERNATES

#### MBA

(7)

Dr. Max Stackhouse, Newton
Miss Jane Merrill, Newton
Mrs. Keith Baldwin, Winchester
Mrs. Richard Briggs, Lexington
Mr. Charles Downe, Needham
Mrs. Cora Brewer, Roxbury
The Rev. Robert Shire, Walpole

Dr. William Holladay, Newton
To be elected
To be elected
To be elected
The Rev. David Kreider, Auburndale
To be elected
The Rev. Richard Bauer, Newton

#### SOUTHEAST

(5)

Mrs. Mary Cannon, Yarmouth Port
Ms. Ellen Nelson, Duxbury
The Rev. Ernest Geigis, Stoughton
Mrs. Franklin Smith, North Weymouth
The Rev. David Yohn, Barnstable

Ms. Eunice E. Sharp, Mashpee Mrs. Shirley Paz, Plympton The Rev. William Goble, Rockland Mrs. Ann Johnson, Brockton The Rev. Seth Newton, Centerville

#### NORTHEAST

(3)

The Rev. Ellsworth Comins, Merrimac Miss Jacqueline Copeland, Saugus Mr. A. Gary Melville, Chelmsford The Rev. Dr. Frederick Pease, Haverhill Mrs. William Sentner, Salem To be elected

#### WESTERN

(7)

The Rev. Floyd Bryan, Agawam
The Rev. Lloyd Dunham, Greenfield
Mrs. Jeffrey M. Lewis, Springfield
The Rev. Lois Rose, Stockbridge
Mr. Jim Tilbe, Easthampton
+\*Mrs. Marjorie Upson, Longmeadow
The Rev. Margaret Frerichs, Hadley

To be elected
The Rev. Ben E. J. New, Shelburne
Mrs. Gary DeLong, Longmeadow
Mrs. Maxine Garber, Springfield
Mr. Carl Madsen, Southampton
\* Mrs. Herbert McChesney, Ludlow
Mrs. Marion Howland, Southampton

#### CENTRAL

+\*Mr. Mark Berry, Dudley

Mrs. Eugene Popp, Clinton

Mrs. Carol Christensen, Southbridge

Mr. Robert Winterhalter, Ashland

Mr. Donald Watson, Northbridge

\* Mr. Thompson Boyd, Dudley Mrs. Doretta S. Mayer, Holden Mrs. Nancy Cook, Southbridge Mr. Carroll Kell, Framingham To be elected

<sup>\*</sup>Unable to attend General Synod XII, June 22-26, 1979.

<sup>+</sup>Mrs. Eric Bascom, Springfield attended in place of Mrs. Marjorie Upson.

<sup>+</sup>Mrs. Faith Johnson, Georgetown, filled the vacancy in the delegation which existed because Mr. Mark Berry (delegate) and Mr. Thompson Boyd (alternate) were unable to attend.

#### GENERAL SYNOD DELEGATES

#### CLASS OF 1981

#### DELEGATES

#### ALTERNATES

#### MBA

(7)

Ms. Susan Foster, Wellesley Mrs. Jean Knibbs, Somerville Mrs. Elsbeth Percy, Boston The Rev. Jonathan N. Robinson, Roxbury The Rev. Grover Rieger, Stoneham

\* Mr. Joseph Wissman, Walpole \* Mr. Leslie Harris, Roxbury

To be elected To be elected The Rev. Joseph Williamson, Boston Mrs. Beverly Mitchell, Boston The Rev. Jack Whitehead, Foxboro + Mr. Alan Hunter, West Newton + Mrs. Cheryl Winbush, Roxbury

#### SOUTHEAST

(4)

Ms. JoEllen Fisher, Brockton The Rev. Dr. David Ransom, The Rev. Martin Singley, III, N. Attleboro Ms. Denise Cahill, Brockton

Ms. Jane Freeman, Hingham The Rev. Ira Chace, Swansea The Rev. John J. Betournay, S. Attleboro To be elected

#### NORTHEAST

Mrs. Barbara Townsend, Peabody The Rev. Leonard B. Kohlhoffer, Topsfield Mr. F. Ryeburn Lynch, Byfield

Ms. Christine D. Hansen, Danvers To be elected Mr. Robert Cole, West Boxford

#### WESTERN

\* Mrs. Deborah Bruce-Jones, Sheffield Mr. Donovan E. Cornish, Springfield The Rev. Richard Taylor, Hinsdale Mrs. Carol Cody, South Hadley The Rev. Toni Tailer Smith, South Deerfield To be elected

+ The Rev. Irene M. Frazier, Pittsfield Mr. Raymond F. Loveland, Wilbraham The Rev. Allen M. Comstock, Stockbridge Mrs. Robert Arnold, Westfield

#### CENTRAL

- \* The Rev. Jamie Ruth Gustafson, Sturbridge + The Rev. Karen L.M. Haringa, Worcester Mrs. Patricia Jackman, Upton The Rev. Leonard Silvester, Shirley Dr. T. Nelson Baker, Sudbury Mrs. Margery Norton, Ashby
- Mrs. Sandra Dipko, Framingham The Rev. John Mingus, Townsend Mr. John Neubold, Sherborn To be elected

#### Executive Staff

The Rev. George D. Condon Mrs. Margaret (Peg) Jacobs

<sup>\*</sup>Unable to attend General Synod XII, June 22-26, 1979.

<sup>+</sup>Attended General Synod XII as elected alternate.

#### BYLAWS OF THE

# MASSACHUSETTS CONFERENCE OF THE

# UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

#### ARTICLE I

# Purpose and Terminology

- 1. The purpose of the Massachusetts Conference of the United Church of Christ as stated in its charter (1799) is "diffusing the knowledge of the Gospel of Jesus Christ . . . and in concert with other ecclesiastical bodies for the general increase of Christian union and spiritual efficiency and the advancement of Christ's Kingdom on earth."
- 2. Whenever in these Bylaws the word Conference is used it shall be held to refer to the Corporation as a Conference of the United Church of Christ and as a Conference of Massachusetts Congregational Christian Churches.
- 3. All Churches which are members of Associations in voluntary fellowship with and recognized by the Conference, whether or not such Churches are a part of the United Church of Christ, are entitled to elect voting members of the Conference in accordance with these Bylaws.
- 4. Whenever in these Bylaws the word "Area" is used, it shall be held to refer to those Associations or combinations of the Associations decided upon by the agreement of the respective Associations and recognized by the Conference.

#### ARTICLE II

#### Denominational Basis

Following Congregational principles, this Conference shall under no circumstances exercise authority over Churches or individuals or interfere with the government or discipline of the Churches. It shall advise and counsel the Churches when requested, but it is recognized that each Church has the power of self-determination in all matters.

#### ARTICLE III

#### Doctrinal Basis

This Conference declares its steadfast allegiance to the faith which our forebears confessed, which, from age to age, has found its expression in the historic creeds of the Church Universal and of this Communion.

#### ARTICLE IV

# Conference Meetings

1. Stated Meetings. In each year the Conference shall convene its Annual Meeting within the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, on the third Friday of May (or at such other time within the period from April fifteenth through June fifteenth as the Board of Directors may deem expedient) for the election of Officers, Executive Officers, Committees, Councils, and a Board of Directors for full or unexpired terms, as the case may be, the hearing of reports, the determination of the annual rate of Fellowship Dues to be proposed to the Churches, to act on the recommendation of the Board of Directors concerning the amount or proportion to be retained from Our Christian World Mission giving of the Churches, and the transaction of other business. Each year the Conference also shall convene a Fall Meeting within said Commonwealth on the third Saturday of October (or at such other time within the period from September fifteenth through November fifteenth as the Board of Directors may determine); provided, however, that the Conference at any Annual Meeting may vote not to hold the Fall Meeting that year. The budget of the Conference ordinarily shall be presented for adoption at the Fall Meeting, but in any year when the Board of Directors recommends not to hold the Fall Meeting, and it is so voted, then the budget shall be presented for adoption at the Annual Meeting.

# 2. Special Meetings.

- a. Special meetings of the Conference may be convened by the Board of Directors, at such times and places within the Commonwealth as may be determined by the Board, provided, however, that notice of any special meeting and the purposes thereof shall, at least three weeks before the date of the meeting, be sent by mail to each of the Churches entitled to send delegates to the meeting, posted in the general office of the Conference and printed in newspapers published in Boston, Worcester and Springfield.
- b. A special meeting of the Conference shall be convened by the Board of Directors upon receipt by the office of the Secretary of the Conference or Chairperson of the Board of Directors of a written petition stating the proposed purposes, and signed by not less than one hundred persons who shall be voting members of the Conference as defined and who shall represent at least fifty Churches, within sixty days of the receipt of such petition unless an already scheduled meeting of the Conference will be held within ninety days.
- c. No action shall be taken on any item of business not specified in the notice of the meeting.
- 3. Call to Order. The Moderator, or in his absence the Vice Moderator, shall call the meeting to order and preside. In the absence of both of them, a member of the Board of Directors shall call the meeting to order and conduct the election of a Moderator Protempore.
- 4. Budget, Not later than one month prior to the meeting of the Conference at which the budget will be presented for approval, there shall be mailed to each Church entitled to send delegates to the meeting sufficient copies of the budget and of the Treasurer's report to provide one copy for each minister and for each delegate to which the Church is entitled. Changes in the budget, either increases or decreases, (except hereafter noted) shall not be considered on the floor of the Conference Meeting unless a written proposal has been filed with the Office of the Treasurer at least ten days prior to the meeting. However, any increases or decreases in the budget may be proposed on the floor of the Conference meeting without advance notice provided % of the delegates vote to consider the proposal. The rate of Fellowship Dues and the proportion to be retained from Our Christian World Mission shall be voted at the Annual Meeting, and may not be changed by a subsequent meeting in any given year.
- 5. Quorum. At all meetings of the Conference a quorum shall consist of 200 voting members.

#### ARTICLE V

#### Conference Meeting Membership

- 1. Voting Members. The voting membership of a Conference Meeting shall consist of
  - a. the following representatives from each Church or Congregation which is a member of an Association in fellowship with the Conference:
    - (1) two delegates chosen by and from each such Church or Congregation to serve at its pleasure; and one additional delegate chosen by and from each such Church or Congregation to serve at its pleasure for every three hundred members, or major fraction thereof in excess of a multiple of three hundred, as determined by the number of its members as of December 31 of the year immediately preceding; (Churches are urged, in conformity with the spirit of actions taken by the General Synod, to choose delegates from all areas of interest, in order to have a lay delegate body with equal representation of men and women, representation of minority groups, and with a goal of 20% of all lay delegates under 30 years of age.)
    - (2) the pastor or pastors, including lay pastors, of each such Church or Congregation, provided such pastor shall have standing in an Association in fellowship with the Conference; and
    - (3) the Christian Education Director or Directors of each such Church or Congregation, provided such director holds United Church of Christ certification.
    - (4) the other ordained persons who are members in each such Church or Congregation and who have standing in an Association in fellowship with the conference.
  - b. the Officers and Executive Officers of the Conference, including any person who shall have been elected an Officer Emeritus;
  - c. the members of the Board of Directors;
  - d. the members of the Conference Committees and Councils;
  - e. the members of the professional staff of the Conference, as such staff may be determined by the Board of Directors; and
- 2. Honorary Members. The honorary membership of a Conference Meeting, with privilege of speaking but without privilege of voting, shall consist of:
  - a. the delegates from corresponding bodies;
  - b. the persons appointed to speak before the Conference;
  - the persons who may be made honorary members by a vote of the Board of Directors;
  - d. such other persons as may be made honorary members by a vote of the Conference; and

#### ARTICLE VI

# Officers and Staff

- 1. As Officers of the Conference there shall be a Moderator, a Vice Moderator, and a Recording Secretary, all of whom shall be elected by ballot at each Annual Meeting of the Conference for a term of one year or until their successors are chosen.
  - a. The Moderator, or in the absence of the Moderator, the Vice Moderator, shall preside over the meetings of the Conference.
  - b. The Recording Secretary shall record the complete minutes of each meeting of the Conference and shall transcribe and deliver same to the Secretary. The Board of Directors may, at their discretion, appoint a deputy to assist in the keeping of the records under the direction of the Recording Secretary.
- 2. The Conference Executive Officers shall be a President, a Secretary, a Treasurer, and such other Executive Officers as the Conference may from time to time elect. Any of the said Executive Offices, except those of President, Secretary, and Treasurer, may be abolished by vote of the Conference. The Board of Directors shall make nominations for Conference Executive Officers for terms of one year. Elections shall take place by ballot at each Annual Meeting. Those elected shall hold office to the end of their term or until their respective successors are chosen. They shall bear such additional titles as the Conference or the Board of Directors may determine.
  - The President shall be the chief Executive Officer of the Conference and shall, subject to the direction of the Conference and of its Board of Directors, have general charge of its missionary and benevolent work and of its other activities. He shall be a member ex officio of all standing Committees named in the Bylaws. He shall have the power to delegate to members of the staff the authority to represent him upon any of the said standing Committees. He shall be the representative of the Conference and of its Board of Directors among all the Churches (both those financially independent and those aided by the funds of the Conference) and in all denominational and interdenominational gatherings (including meetings of Conference Executives) unless representation is otherwise provided by the Conference President or the Board of Directors. He may seek to assist pastors and Churches with fraternal counsel. He shall keep informed as to opportunities for extension work through founding new Churches or strengthening old ones and shall recommend to the Conference and to the Board of Directors measures for meeting such opportunities.
  - b. The Secretary shall keep the records of the Conference, except as heretofore described and provided for. The Secretary shall perform the duties incident to the office and such other duties as may be assigned to the office by the Board of Directors or the President. The Secretary shall have the custody of the records; the seal of the Conference; and of all bonds given by the

Treasner as hereinafter provided; and shall furnish copies of the records certified under the seal of the Conference to such persons as may be entitled thereto.

- c. The Treasurer shall receive and hold the property of the Conference subject to the direction of the Board of Directors and shall keep particular accounts of the Conference funds and of the disposal thereof. The Treasurer shall, under the direction of the President, assist in the general work of the Conference and shall perform such other duties as may be assigned by the Board of Directors. The Treasurer shall make a report at each Annual Meeting and shall make such other reports as the Conference or the Board of Directors may from time to time require. The Treasurer shall receive all contributions sent to the Conference by churches and by individuals, and shall disburse the same in accordance with the instructions of the donors. The Treasurer shall give such bonds as may from time to time be required by the Board of Directors. Any Assistant Treasurer shall perform such duties as may be assigned by the Treasurer, or by the President in the absence or incapacity of the Treasurer.
- 3. Area Ministers. The Conference may, from time to time, employ such staff as is deemed necessary to fulfill pastoral and fellowship functions and purposes within the Conference in the established Areas of the Conference. The staff shall give counsel and leadership to the Churches and ministers in those Areas, and shall be employed by the Board of Directors in consultation with the President of the Conference, and in consultation with, or upon the recommendation of the Area Committee/Council involved, and/or in consultation with other appropriate parties.
- 4. Conference Program Staff and Administrative Staff. The Conference may, from time to time employ such staff as is deemed necessary to fulfill the program purposes and administrative needs of the Conference. The staff shall be employed by the Board of Directors in consultation with the President of the Conference, and where applicable with such Committee/Council and parties as may seem appropriate to the function which said position is to fulfill.
- 5. Performance Evaluation, Job Review, Professional Support. The President shall present to the Board of Directors, for all Executive Officers and staff other than himself, periodic reviews of job performance, job content, and professional support status. The Board of Directors shall be responsible for seeing that such periodic reviews are carried out for all Executive Officers and staff, that such reviews are based upon sufficient facts and consultations, and that the scope, findings and recommendations of such reviews are appropriate. Persons nominated or employed by the Board of Directors as Executive Officers and staff shall be informed of Conference practice with regard to review of job performance and content and professional support status.
- 6. Retirement Age. The mandatory retirement date for any paid Executive Officer, or any member of the Executive Staff or General Staff shall be the Annual Meeting following

his/her attaining age 70. However, the Board of Directors may temporarily employ, from time to time, any persons beyond age 70 when such temporary employment is deemed to be in the best interest of the Conference.

- 7. a. Retirement Annuities. The Conference expects every paid Officer, staff member, or other employee to be a member, as appropriate, of the Annuity Fund for Congregational Ministers or the Retirement Fund for Lay Workers and will pay the full normal annual premium to the Fund except as otherwise specified in employee policies for General Staff.
- b. Employee Benefits. The Conference, as an employer, may provide such other employee benefits as the Board of Directors deems appropriate, and such programs, and the extent to which the Conference bears the expense, shall be reported in the Treasurer's annual report.

#### ARTICLE VII

#### Board of Directors

#### 1. Organization

- a. There shall be a Board of Directors consisting of:
  - (1) One Director elected at the Conference Annual Meeting by ballot for every 8,000 members, or major fraction thereof, of the Churches in each of the Areas of the Conference determined by the number of members as of December 31 of the year immediately preceding, with no Area having less than one Director. One-third of these elected Directors shall be ministers, one-third laymen and one-third laywomen as nearly as may be.
  - (2) The President, the Moderator, the Vice Moderator, the Chairperson of the Council on Local Church Life and Ministry, and the Chairperson of the Council on Mission Outreach and Social Responsibility, ex officii.
- b. The term of an elected Director shall be four (4) years and no Director, having served a full four (4) year term, shall be eligible for re-election for one (1) year.
- c. Nine members of the Board of Directors shall constitute a quorum.
- d. At its first meeting after each Annual Meeting of the Conference, the Board of Directors shall choose one of its members to serve as Chairperson and another member to serve as Vice Chairperson for the ensuing year. It shall also choose a secretary to maintain a record of its proceedings.
- 2. General Powers. Subject to the provisions of Section 3 of this Article, the Board of Directors shall have and may exercise all of the powers of the Conference between meetings of the Conference and actions taken shall be reported to the next Annual Meeting of the Conference.
- 3. Except as otherwise provided in the charter of the Conference or in these Bylaws, the Board of Directors shall administer and dispose of the property of the Conference and shall manage all of its business and affairs, subject to the following limitations:

- a. Corporate assets other than real property or tangible personal property which are not restricted as to use by the donor shall not be disbursed or granted between two consecutive Annual Meetings in an amount exceeding 20% of the value thereof at the previous year-end or \$250,000, whichever is greater, except as authorized or directed by a vote of the Conference.
- b. Title to real property with a market value of \$250,000 or more shall not be encumbered, or conveyed in whole or in part, except as authorized or directed by a meeting of the Conference.

#### 4. The Board of Directors:

- Shall have responsibility for policy formulation, program development, budget development, coordination between the functional Committees or Councils of the Conference, evaluation and planning;
- Shall employ staff and other agents in support of Conference activities and operations and define or approve the definition of their duties;
- c. Shall cause the accounts of the Treasurer to be audited at least once a year by certified public accountants selected by the Board;
- Shall provide direction for all Officers, Executive Officers, staff and agents of the Conference.
- 5. Without restricting the generality of the foregoing, the Board of Directors shall in particular have the following powers:
  - a. To appoint its own meetings and form its own rules of business, to appoint Committees and delegate any of its powers to such Committees.
  - b. To remove at pleasure any member of the staff, any employee or any agent of the Conference.
  - c. To remove any Officer, Executive Officer or Director of the Conference who may be guilty of disregard of the duties of the office or of such conduct as shall be seriously prejudicial to the interests of the Conference.
  - d. To fill any vacancy in any Office, Executive Office, Committee or Council of the Conference including vacancies in the membership of the Board until the succeeding Annual Meeting of the Conference.
  - e. To direct efforts to promote missionary interest and giving among the Churches of the Conference.
  - To direct efforts to promote ecumenical concerns, interests and relationships of the Conference.
  - g. To direct efforts of evaluation and planning with respect to the program, and activities of the Conference.
  - To appoint one or more Directors to the functional Conference Committees and Councils as liaison between the Committees or Councils and the Board of Directors.

#### ARTICLE VIII

#### Committees and Councils

- 1. Immediately after the opening of the Conference Annual Meeting the Moderator shall appoint:
  - a. A Committee on Credentials, to which all credentials shall be referred.
  - b. A Business Committee, the duty of which shall be to prepare and present at each session all matters of business not presented through the Board of Directors or some Committee or Council of the Conference.
- 2. There shall be a program Committee to plan the program of each regular meeting and such other meetings of the Conference as the Board of Directors may request. The Committee shall consist of the Moderator, the Vice Moderator, the Secretary of the Conference, the pastor of any Church which is to entertain the next Annual Meeting, plus nine elected members. At each Annual Meeting three members, at least one of whom shall be a member of a Conference Committee or Council, shall be elected by voice vote for three-year terms.
- 3. The following Councils and Committee shall be constituted: Council on Local Church Life and Ministry; Council on Mission Outreach and Social Responsibility; and Leadership Development Committee. Each shall have twenty-four(24) members with eight (8) elected each year for three-year terms. No person who has completed a three-year term on any council or committee may be re-elected to that council or committee until one year shall have elapsed. The membership of each council and committee shall be drawn from each of the five geographical regions of the Conference, shall be drawn from different ages and races, and shall include at least forty per cent (40%) of each gender and not-less than one-half shall be laity.
  - a. The two councils shall function as the program arm of the Conference. They shall be responsible for both research and development of program. The work of the councils shall be carried out by task forces appointed by the appropriate council.

The Council on Local Church Life and Ministry shall be responsible for programs fostering evangelism, education and our mutual ministry.

The Council on Mission Outreach and Social Responsibility shall develop and relate to specific mission and social action tasks.

- b. The Leadership Development Committee shall be concerned with leadership discovery and appropriate use of persons through the various organizations of the Conference. This Committee shall make nominations for each office, council or committee to be elected at the Annual Meeting. It shall also nominate delegates to the General Synod. At the request of the Board of Directors, it shall also suggest nominees to fill any vacancies occurring between Annual Meetings.
- 4. All Committees and Councils are free to organize their work, to establish subcommittees for special assignments, and to co-opt other persons with special interest and skill as required.
- 5. A person who is a member of any Committee or Council ex-officio shall be entitled to vote.
- 6. The reports of all Committees and Councils that are to be presented to the Conference Annual Meeting shall be furnished to the Secretary eight weeks before the Annual Meeting, and shall be printed and distributed to the Churches not less than four weeks before the

Annual Meeting. These reports need not be read to the Conference Meeting but the Program Committee may arrange for the adequate discussion of any or all of the topics presented in the reports.

7. Such Committees, Councils, or other ad hoc groups as the Conference may vote to constitute or recognize shall be established by voice vote at each Annual Meeting for such terms as the Conference Meeting shall determine. The Board of Directors shall present at each Annual Meeting a list of Committees, Councils or other ad hoc groups, the appointment of which it recommends.

#### ARTICLE IX

## Conditions of Office

- 1. Qualifications. Each Officer, Executive Officer, Director, Committee member or Council member may serve only while he is a member in a Church or Congregation eligible to send delegates to the Conference Meeting.,
- 2. Beginning of Term. The terms of Officers, Executive Officers, Directors or Members of a Committee or Council of the Conference shall begin at the close of the meeting at which they are elected; however, in the event a meeting is recessed for more than one month following election, the terms of those elected shall commence at the close of the session in which the recess was declared.
- 3. Unexpired Term. Any person elected at an Annual Meeting of the Conference to fill a vacancy shall be elected for the unexpired term of that vacancy.
- 4. Automatic Resignation. Any person elected to the Board of Directors or any Committee or Council of the Conference who shall fail to attend two consecutive regular meetings thereof without an explanation of absence, or fail to attend three consecutive meetings for any reason, shall be considered to have resigned. Whoever is nominated to the Board of Directors or any Committee or Council of the Conference on the basis of his residency in one of the five Areas of the state shall be considered to have resigned if during the term of office the person moves to a different Area of the state or moves from the state. It will be the responsibility of the Board of Directors, Committee, or Council involved to determine whether to accept a resignation.

#### ARTICLE X

#### Relationships

- 1. As a Conference of the United Church of Christ, the Massachusetts Conference is a body of the United Church of Christ and is related to the General Synod as described in the Constitution and Bylaws of the United Church of Christ. It discharges those duties and provides those services set forth in its own charter and Bylaws and which are not inconsistent with the Constitution and Bylaws of the United Church of Christ.
- 2. Delegates of the Conference to the General Synod, as provided for in the Constitution and Bylaws of the United Church of Christ, shall be elected from the membership of the Churches in the Massachusetts Conference which are affiliated with the United Church of Christ, and such delegates shall be elected by voice vote at a meeting of the Conference.

#### ARTICLE XI

#### Board of Ministerial Aid

The Board of Ministerial Aid shall be the agent of the Conference in the work of aiding needy ministers and their families and shall make an annual report to the Conference. On notice of a vacancy in the membership of the Board of Ministerial Aid, the Conference shall nominate a person to fill the vacancy.

#### ARTICLE XII

## Boston Seaman's Friend Society

The Boston Seaman's Friend Society shall be the agent of the Conference in the work of promoting the spiritual and temporal welfare of seamen and shall make an annual report to the Conference. The Conference Meeting shall annually elect by voice vote five members, for a term of three (3) years each, to the Board of the Society.

#### ARTICLE XIII

#### Corporate Seal

The seal of the Conference shall consist of two or more concentric circles, with the words, "Massachusetts Conference of the United Church of Christ" around the circumference between these circles and the words "Inc., 1808" within the inner circle.

#### ARTICLE XIV

# Special Orders

- 1. All matters of business presented to the Conference Meeting, except those presented by the Board of Directors or through duly elected or appointed Committees or Councils of the Conference, shall be referred to the Business Committee unless referred to some other Committee or Council by special vote of the Conference.
- 2. All matters of business referred to the Business Committee shall be reported for action before the final adjournment of the meeting.
- 3. There shall be a "Revolving Fund for Cash Flow" designated to the purpose of providing cash at times of low flow during a given year.
  - a. The limit of the Fund will be determined from time to time by the Board of Directors.
  - b. The sources of capital will be from unrestricted monies designated to the Fund by the Board of Directors or from special gifts restricted to the purpose of the Fund, with the distinction between the two preserved.
  - c. The cash of the Fund may be borrowed by action of the Conference executive officers for the specific purpose with the expectation that it can and will be returned to the Fund within the calendar year of use. In the event that this is not possible due to unforeseen circumstances, there will be no borrowing from the Fund during the succeeding calendar year until outstanding borrowing has been repaid.
  - d. At no time will the Fund be used as collateral for other loans.
  - e. No interest will be paid to the Fund for the use of its cash.

- Unrestricted monies placed in the Fund may be withdrawn only by vote of the Conference Meeting.
- g. The Fund shall be invested in a manner appropriate for its purposes, as determined by the Board of Directors. Income earned shall be administered as unrestricted receipts from invested income.

#### ARTICLE XV

#### Rules of Order

All proceedings of the Conference Meeting shall be governed by the latest revised edition of Robert's Rules of Order, and, unless otherwise required thereby or by these Bylaws, action of the Conference shall be by the majority vote of voting members present.

#### ARTICLE XVI

#### Amendments

- 1. These Bylaws except Article II and III, may be amended at any Annual Meeting, or other meeting, of the Conference by a two-thirds vote, provided the amendment is recommended by the Board of Directors or was proposed at a previous Conference Meeting. Any amendment to the Bylaws must be received by the Churches and delegates at least 30 days prior to the Conference Meeting at which the amendment will be considered.
- 2. Articles II and III may be amended by a two-thirds vote at any Annual Meeting, but only after the proposed amendment has been submitted to the Conference in writing at a previous Annual Conference Meeting and notice has been sent to each of the Churches entitled to send delegates at least three months prior to the Conference Meeting at which action is to be taken.

#### MODERATOR

Mr. Victor J. Loring 1912 Holyoke Rev. Frank R. Shipman 1913 Fall River Mr. Kenyon L. Butterfield 1914 Gardner 1915 Pittsfield Rev. Edward A. Reed Mr. Edwin' O. Childs 1916 Cambridge Rev. George W. Andrews
Mr. William B. Aspinwall
Rev. Frederick H. Page
Mr. Henry W. W. Benjamin A. Willmott
Rev. William A. Knight
Rev. Ernest G. Guthrie 1917 Taunton 1918 Worcester 1919 Northampton Mr. Henry K. Hyde 1920 Plymouth Mr. Thomas Weston 1921 Lawrence 1922 Fitchburg Rev. Snephero Analy 1923 Great Barrington Mr. Arthur H. Wellman Rev. Edward P. Drew Rev. Shepherd Knapp 1924 Brockton 1925 Holyoke Mr. Elbert A. Harvey 1926. Dorchester Rev. Samuel H. Woodrow Dr. Enos H. Bigelow Rev. Benj. A. Willmott 1927 Worcester 1928 Greenfield 1929 Framingham 1939 Springfield Mr. Sheridan R. Cate 1931 New Bedford Rev. Clarence W. Dunham Rev. Edwin B. Robinson Rev. Vaughan Dabney Rev. Edwin B. Robinson 1932 Quincy 1933 North Adams Mr. John C. Hull Rev. J. Harold Dale 1934 Brookline Mr. Frank L. Boyden 1935 Newburyport 1936 Gardner Rev. David N. Beach 1937 Lowell Mr. Wilbur E. Rowell Rev. Clarence E. Hellens 1938 Dedham 1939 Northampton Mr. Ethelbert V. Grabill 1940 Worcester Rev. Lyndon S. Beardslee 1941 Attleboro

#### 1942 West Newton

1943 Worcester Dean Homer P. Little Rev. Carl F. Schultz 1944 Boston 1945 Cambridge 1946 Holyoke 1947 Boston 1948 Springfield 1949 Boston 1950 Fall River 1951 Framingham 1952 Worcester

1953 Springfield 1954 Quincy 1955 Fitchburg 1956 Williamstown 1957 Newton Centra 1958 Plymouth 1959 Beverly 1960 Andover 1961 Northampton 1962 Worcester 1963 Wellesley 1964 Pittsfield 1965 Boston 1968 Boston 1970 Amherst 1971 Fltchburg 1972 Pittsfield

1966 Springfield 1967 Worcester 1969 W. Springfield 1973 Springfield 1974 Hyannis

1975 Boston 1976 Springfield 1977 Chicopee

1978 Springfield 1979 Springfield Rev. Edward P. Drew
Rev Charles H. Williams
Rev. James Gordon Gilke
Mr. Elbert A. Harvey
Rev. Allen E. Cross
Rev. Samuel H. Woodrow
Rev. Arcturus Z. Conrad
Rev. Howard J. Childley

Mr. George F. Moulton

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Mr. William E. Hays
Rev. Clarence W. Fuller Mr. Loomis Patrick Rev. Kenneth R. Henley Mr. Albert O. Wilson, Jr.
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Rev. Edward A. Walker

#### PREACHER

Rev. Edward P. Drew Rev. Raymond Calkins Rev. William C. Gordon Rev. Ambrose W. Vernon Rev. Newton M. Hall Rev. George A. Gordon Rev. Robert MacDonald
Rev. Hugh Gordon Ross
Rev. Robert R. Wicks Rev. Hugh Gordon Ross Rev. Edward M. Noyes Rev. James Gordon Gilkey Rev. Howard J. Chidley Rev. Claude A. McKay Rev. Ashley D. Leavitt Rev. J. Lee Mitchell Rev. Arthur P. Pratt Rev. Shepherd Kpapp Rev. Russell H. Stafford Rev. Ralph Sockman Rev. George A. Buttrick Rev. Douglas Horton

Rev. Benjamin T. Marshall Rev. Raymond Calkins Itev. William Park Rev. Walter A. Morgan Rev. William A. Gilroy

Rev. Robert Wood Coe Rev. Carl Heath Kopf Rev. Charles C. Keith Rev. Edwin B. Robinson Rev. J. Harold Dale Rev. Kendig B. Cully Rev. William J. Rees Rev. Ashley Day Leavitt Rev. John Gratton Rev. Alden S. Mosshammer Rev. Walter R. Greenwood Rev. Ray A. Eusden Rev. John R Chapman Rev. John H. Leamon Rev. Fred B. Spyker Rev. Dwight L. Cart Dr. Raymond Calkins Rev. Edith Wolfe
Dr. Albert J. Penner Rev. Kenneth R. Henley Rev. Virgil V. Brallier Rev. Arthur Coulthard Rev. Kenneth D. Beckwith Rev. John E. Morgan Dr. Albert J. Penner Dr. Albert J. Penner

Rev. Robert V. Moss Dr. David M. Stowe Rev. Avery D. Post Rev. Jefferson P. Rogers Rev. Reuben Sheares

Rev. James W. Crawford Rev. Phyllis K. Ingram Rev. Dr. Oliver Powell Ms. Helen I. Barnhill

Rev. Dr. Yvonne Delk

#### MINUTES OF THE 180th ANNUAL MEETING

of the

# MASSACHUSETTS CONFERENCE of the UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

April 27, 28, 29, 1979, Springfield, Massachusetts

The 180th Annual Meeting of the Massachusetts Conference of the United Church of Christ was called to order by the Moderator, the Rev. Edward A. Walker, at 2:00 P.M., on Friday, April 27, 1979, at Old First Church, Springfield, Massachusetts. The theme for the Meeting was "Faith Alive", Hebrews 12:1-2. The opening worship was led by the Rev. Dr. Paul W. Zeckhausen, Senior Minister of the Wilbraham United Church, and the Rev. Winifred C. Jones, Minister of Christian Education at Foster Memorial Church, Springfield and Wilbraham United Church. The Rev. Lucille Blood, Associate Minister of the First Congregational United Church of Christ, Westfield, with her guitar, led the delegates and guests in singing a song "Faith Alive" which she had composed especially for the Meeting.

Greetings from the local committee were brought by the Rev. Delwin R. Lehmann, Minister, Old First Church. Mr. Lehmann introduced The Honorable Theodore E. Dimauro, Mayor of Springfield. The Rev. Alfred E. Williams, Minister and President of the Massachusetts Conference, expressed the appreciation of the Conference to the City of Springfield for being a good host. Mr. Dimauro responded and welcomed the Conference to Springfield.

The Rev. Paul Varga and Mr. Philip Smith were appointed to the Credentials Committee. Mr. Varga presented the report of advance registrations, which consisted of Lay Delegates, 490; Clergy 223; Directors of Christian Education, 5; Ex officiis, 28; Guests, 108; for a total of 854, with 746 voting.

The Moderator declared that a quorum was present. He introduced the Parliamentarian, Mr. Richard Osterberg, attorney, from the firm of Weston, Patrick, Willard & Redding. The Moderator read the Ground Rules, which had been printed and sent to the delegates prior to the Meeting. Voting procedures were outlined. The following committees were appointed:

Ushers and Tellers: Rev. Gilbert Harttree and Rev. Alan Copithorne, Co-chairpersons; Louise Allen, Bob Bedard, Helen Belden, (timekeeper), San Belden, Don Bruder, Philip A. Christensen, Sr., Philip A. Christensen, Jr., Mary Corbett, (timekeeper), Esther Dusenberry, Jean Farnshaw, Herb Farr, Barbara Griffin, Jeanette Gurney, Anne Harttree, Ray Jones, Mabel Kronvall, John Loiko, Shirley Loiko, Ernest Lundquist, Mr. & Mrs. Frank Mancuso, Jr., Gordon Milne, Olive Milne, Carol Ogilvie, Phyllis Paige, Tim Paige, George Parker, Grace Parker, Donald Robbins, Virginia Sample, Lucille Shook, Dolly Smith, James Thompson, Sue Westberg, Korin White, Milton Wood, Mrs. Thomas Yule.

Business Committee: Mr. James Kentfield, Chairperson; Mrs. Priscilla Crocker, Rev. Johannah Fine, Mrs. Faith Johnson, Rev. Carole MacEachern, Mrs. Beverly Mitchell, Ms. Janice Shepherd, Mr. Philip Smith, Rev. Richard Stoehr, Rev. Paul Varga, Rev. Philip Ward.

The Chairperson of the Business Committee, Mr. James Kentfield presented the report of the Committee. It was agreed that no new business may come to the Business Committee after 9:00 A.M. on Saturday unless it is relevant to existing items on the Order of Time and Events. Several minor adjustments were made in the Order of Time and Events as it had been printed and circulated. It was moved and

VOTED: That the Order of Time and Events become the Agenda for the Meeting.

The Moderator thanked those Churches who had created the beautiful banners which were hung in the sanctuary. It was moved and

VOTED: To accept and approve the Minutes of the Fall Meeting, October 28, 1978, as printed and circulated.

The Rev. David Kreider, Chairperson of the Leadership Development Committee, presented a list of nominees for Conference Officers, members of the Board of Directors, Committees and Councils, and General Synod delegates. He expressed appreciation to those we ask to serve the Conference in this capacity. He also asked the members of the Leadership Development Committee to rise.

The Treasurer, the Rev. Emil C. Beck, presented his report and announced that there was a supply of the formal Auditor's Report available for those interested. Those present stood in appreciation and applauded the work of the Treasurer.

It was moved and

VOTED: To accept the report of the Treasurer.

The Moderator called attention to the Statistical Report of the Secretary, Mrs. Priscilla Crocker. It was moved and

VOTED: To accept the Statistical Report of the Secretary.

The Moderator introduced the Rev. James Nash, Executive Director of the Massachusetts Council of Churches. It was moved and

VOTED: That the Rev. James A. Nash be elected an Honorary Delegate for this Meeting, with voice, but not vote.

A theological interpretation was given by the Rev. Dr. Meredith Handspicker, Professor of Practical Theology, Andover Newton Theological School.

The Moderator introduced the Rev. Alfred E. Williams, Minister and President of the Conference. The delegates rose in a standing ovation, after which Mr. Williams addressed the Meeting.

Reports on ministry in the five Areas of the Conference were given by the Rev. James Lancaster, Associate Conference Minister for the Western Area, on the Area Office; the Rev. Dr. Donald A. Simpson, Associate Conference Minister for the Central Area, on Pastoral Settlement; the Rev. Paul E. Sinn, Associate Conference Minister for the Southeast Area, on Consultation with Clergy; the Rev. Charles H. Harper, Associate Conference Minister for the Metropolitan Boston Area, on Programs in the Associations;

and by Ms. Ann Abernethy, Consultant for Christian Education for the Metropolitan Boston Area, on Consultants for Christian Education in the Areas.

The Meeting recessed for interest groups and for dinner.

The Moderator reconvened the Meeting at 7:45 P.M. A Hymn Sing was conducted by the Rev. Albert Ronander, First Congregational U.C.C., Harwich. The Sign-language Choir, formed by the Rev. Ann Geer, Union Church, Heath and the Rowe Community Church, and the Rev. John Geer, Charlemont, presented "How Great Thou Art". The Rev. James Stirling, III, Millers Falls U.C.C., signed for the deaf during the Hymn Sing.

The keynote address was given by Miss Elizabeth O'Connor, staff member, The Church of the Saviour, Washington, D.C. She was introduced by Ms. Cindy Peterson, Brimfield.

The Meeting recessed at 9:00 P.M.

#### Saturday, April 28, 1979

The Moderator reconvened the Meeting at  $9:00~\mathrm{A.M.}$  The "Faith Alive" worship was conducted by the United Church Youth Council.

Mr. Kentfield reported that the Business Committee had received a request that two persons be allowed to speak to the Meeting regarding the Infant Formula Resolution. It was moved and

VOTED: That Rudy Bechtel of Nestle Company and Lois Happe of INFACT be each allowed 3 minutes to address the Infant Formula Resolution.

The Rev. Joseph Neville, Coordinator of the Councils, introduced Mrs. Nancy Rogers, Chairperson of the Council for Mission Outreach and Social Responsibility. Mrs. Rogers introduced persons who told about the work of the Council for Mission Outreach and Social Responsibility and reported on the task forces related to that Council. A Resolution on Infant Formula was moved and seconded. An amendment to delete "Third World" from the first paragraph was passed. Mr. Rudy Bechtel, a representative of the Nestle Company, told what action the company has taken in regard to the infant formula issue. Ms. Lois Happe from INFACT also spoke to the issue. It was then moved and

VOTED: That the Resolution on Infant Formula be adopted. (A copy follows these  $\mathtt{minutes}_{\:\raisebox{1pt}{\text{\circle*{1.5}}}})$ 

Mr. Kentfield brought a recommendation from the Business Committee. It was moved and

VOTED: That the 11:35 Recess time be changed to 11:50.

 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{Dr}}.$  Handspicker gave a theological interpretation, responding to the Conference Meeting.

Dr. Neville introduced the Rev. Walter Davis, Chairperson of the Council for Local Church Life and Ministry. Various people gave brief reports of the work of the Council and of the task forces responsible to it. Following the report of the Church Growth Task Force, it was moved and

VOTED: That the Conference prioritize its work so that church growth has a high and

visible priority in all of its objectives, plans and programs, both long and short range, and that the Conference enable whatever steps are necessary to achieve those priorities, and that the Conference report on its progress at the next Annual Meeting.

Two members of the United Church Youth Council presented a 'moment'.

On recommendation of the Business Committee, it was moved and

VOTED: That the Task Force on Small Churches report at 12:45 P.M.

The Meeting recessed for lunch.

The Moderator reconvened the Meeting at 12:45 P.M. There was a report from the Task Force on Small Churches by the Rev. Richard H. Taylor, Pastor of Hinsdale-Middlefield Yoked Parish.

The Chairperson of the Council for Local Church Life and Ministry, the Rev. Walter Bond Davis, expressed appreciation for the outstanding leadership of the Rev. Walter A. Telfer who had worked with the Councils when they were first formed.

The Rev. Donald E. Overlock, Chairperson of the Board of Directors, gave the report of the Board. The Rev. Richard A. Stoehr presented Mr. Overlock with a cross in recognition of service well done. There was a standing ovation in response. Mrs. Faith Johnson then presented the Rev. Edward A. Walker, Moderator, with a cross in recognition of his service. Mr. Williams asked the Executive Staff and the Board of Directors to stand and be recognized.

Mr. Williams read a paper on the Directional Goals for 1980. This included statements on Our Biblical Base and Theology and on Our History and Inheritance. It was moved and

VOTED: Rooted in the Gospel and shaped by our heritage, this vision of Directional Goals for 1980-83 is presented for testing, for revision, for owning by the ministers and churches that covenant as the Massachusetts Conference of the United Church of Christ.

In response to God's call and our covenant tradition, we, the Massachusetts Conference of the United Church of Christ, own these Directional Goals for 1980-83.

- Strengthening Local Churches in faithful ministry, witness and mission.
- <u>Sharing the Christian Faith</u> as celebrated and lived within the United Church of Christ calling persons into covenant of ministry, witness and mission.
- Working toward more just and humane social structures, beginning in the Church, and also in the nation and world so that our common life may come closer to God's demand for righteousness.
- <u>Participating in the Church and the world</u> in ways that acknowledge and celebrate our <u>interdependence</u>.
- <u>Calling forth the gifts of people and money</u> with which the Massachusetts
   Conference of the United Church of Christ is so richly blessed so that we
   may accomplish the work which God has entrusted to us.

We instruct the Conference Minister and President, the Board of Directors, and the Staff of the Massachusetts Conference of the United Church of Christ, working

through the various Councils, Committees, Areas, and Associations to set objectives, determine strategies, allocate resources that will move us in these directions.

We anticipate that these objectives will be shared with the ministers and churches through Areas and Associations before adoption by the Board of Directors.

We instruct the Conference Minister and President and the Board of Directors to report to the Conference 181st Annual Meeting regarding progress toward these Directional Goals.

Mr. Clement Sutton, Jr., Chairperson of the Finance Committee, asked Mr. Williams to read the covenant for the 1980 budget. Mr. Sutton then presented the proposed budget for 1980. It was moved and

VOTED: That the budget for 1980, with income and expenses of \$870,400, be adopted as presented.

Mr. Richard Harter expressed appreciation to the Finance Committee for the work which it has done.

It was moved and

VOTED: That a total OCWM Basic Support goal of \$1,350,000 be adopted for 1980.

VOTED: That a goal of \$950,000 of OCWM Basic Support be adopted for National during 1980.

VOTED: That 28% of the total OCWM Basic Support received in 1980 be retained by the Conference.

VOTED: That Fellowship Dues for 1980 be set at \$2.50 per church member as reported for January 1, 1980, of which 15¢ is designated to be applied to the reduction of the internal debt for Framingham development and renovation.

On recommendation of the Board of Directors, Mr. Kentfield proposed several revisions of the Bylaws. It was moved and

`VOTED: To amend the Bylaws of the Massachusetts Conference of the United Church of Christ ... \*

Article XVI Amendments

The Board of Directors at its meeting February 21, 1979, voted to recommend amending Bylaws Article III <u>Doctrinal</u> <u>Basis</u> by changing the word "Fathers" to "Forebears" in line one.

It was moved and

VOTED: To place the recommended amendment to Bylaws Article III  $\underline{\text{Doctrinal}}$  Basis on the agenda of the 181st Annual Meeting.

<sup>\*</sup>Note: The exact vote on each amendment is recorded in the official Minutes, which are available from the Secretary of the Conference, Box 2246, Framingham, MA 01701. The Bylaws as amended are printed in their entirety in this <u>Yearbook</u>.

The only substantive changes relate to eliminating a mandatory fall budget meeting (Article IV, 1); to adjusting the deadlines for Annual Meeting mailings (Article VIII, 6 and Article XVI, and to eliminating Article XIII - the Board of Pastoral Supply.) All other changes were technical to make the language inclusive and to clarify intent.

It was moved and

VOTED: That the Secretary cast one ballot for the election of the Officers of the Conference, members of the Board of Directors, members of Conference Committees and Councils, representatives to agencies, and General Synod delegates.

(A complete list of Officers, Executive Officers, Boards, Committees, Councils, representatives to agencies, and delegates to the General Synod is printed in the Conference Year Book.)

It was moved and

VOTED: That the Secretary cast one ballot for the election of the Executive Officers of the Conference, as nominated by the Board of Directors.

The Rev. Alfred E. Williams, Minister and President The Rev. Emil C. Beck, Treasurer Mrs. Priscilla T. Crocker, Secretary.

The Rev. George D. Condon, Consultant in Financial Development and Stewardship, asked Mr. Williams to present certificates to those Churches which were outstanding in contributions to missions in 1978 and to those who had the largest per capita giving to mission. Mr. Condon also reported on Basic Support giving.

A presentation on Planned Giving was given by the Rev. Edmund W. Nutting, Associate Director, UCC, Planned Giving Office.

Mr. Overlock announced the following members of the Search Committee for the Northeast Area Minister: Rev. David Williams, Chairperson; Mr. Charles Blackburn, Mrs. Elsie Jacobson, the Rev. Warren Johnson, Mrs. Betty Millin, the Rev. Johannah Fine, Carol Wilson, Mrs. Alice Harris, Dr. Wade Kornegay, the Rev. Alfred E. Williams, ex officio, and for the Search Committee for the Western Area Minister: Mr. Alan Macy, the Rev. Allen Comstock, Ms. Pat Hovey, the Rev. Federico Agnir, Ms. Audrey Farnum, the Rev. Lorain MacLeod, the Rev. Lucille Blood, Mr. Clayton Ford, the Rev. Gary DeLong, Mrs. Elizabeth Higgins, Mrs. Florence Ames, the Rev. Worth Noyes, the Rev. Alfred E. Williams, ex officio.

Dr. Handspicker offered a theological interpretation and comments on the Meeting.

After a brief recess, the Meeting gathered for the Installation of the Rev. Alfred E. Williams, Jr., as the Minister and President of the Massachusetts Conference of the United Church of Christ. The service of worship included preludes by the Clarion Brass. The Rev. James Lancaster was the liturgist and the Rev. W. Sterling Cary, Conference Minister, Illinois Conference of the United Church of Christ, was the preacher for the Installation. A number of clergy from other Conferences and denominations participated in the service and in the service of communion. (The program is available upon request from the Conference Office.)

Following the service, the Meeting was recessed and then reconvened for the Fellowship Dinner, held at The Oaks Inn. The Rev. Robert P. Noble, Jr., presided at the dinner. He introduced Mr. Williams, who called Ms. Helen Barnes, the Rev. Thomas Dipko, the Rev. Robert Witham, and Mrs. Barbara Voss to the front of the room. These people were thanked for their planning of the Service of Installation, and were presented a flower as a token of appreciation.

The names of those who were ordained fifty years ago were read: Rev. Richard L. Bailey, Rev. A. Burns Chalmers, Rev. Roger P. Cleveland, Rev. Norman S. Davis,

Rev. John G. Gaskill, Rev. Stuart C. Haskins, Rev. Roderic W. Hurlburt, Rev. Ferdinand J. Loungway, Rev. Frederick M. Meek, Rev. John H. Miller, Rev. Harry B. Miner, Rev. Albert J. Penner, Rev. Richard I. Porter, and Orville D. Ullom.

Those present were asked to come forward.

Others honored were those who had retired and those who were ordained in the last year: Retired - Rev. Edwin T. Anthony, Rev. Arlan A. Baillie, Rev. Arthur S. Blowen, Rev. Henry H. Clark, Rev. Paul F. Cross, Rev. John E. Erb, Rev. Clarence W. Fuller, Rev. Howard P. Horn, Rev. Gordon S. Kenison, Rev. Thomas C. Mayne, Rev. F. Nelsen Schlegel, Rev. Walter A. Telfer, and Rev. Frank M. Weiskel -- Newly Ordained - Rev. Barbara de Bon Coeur Allen, Rev. James D. Audlin, Rev. Lucille Blood, Rev. Charles C. Close, Rev. Ann Bowman Day, Rev. Richard Allen Dinges, Rev. Susan Ellis, Rev. Albert T. Elswick, Rev. Irene Mendel Frazier, Rev. David Highes, Rev. Robert A. Kitchen, Jr., Rev. Grace Scott, Rev. Carol Jane Seifrit, Rev. Alexander M. Tartaglia, and Rev. Dereen Carr Vanderlinde.

Mrs. Williams then asked the Rev. Donald Overlock, Mrs. Audrey MacDonald, Mrs. Jean McGuire, Mrs. Nancy Rogers, the Rev. Walter Davis, the Rev. Philip Ward, the Rev. David Kreider and the Rev. Edward Walker to stand before the gathering. He thanked them for the responsibility which they had assumed as elected leaders of the Conference.

The Rev. Delwin Lehmann, host pastor of the Conference Annual Meeting, was presented with flowers to be shared with his congregation.

Mr. Williams closed his portion of the program by thanking those who had come from other conferences, particularly the Rev. Sterling Cary, to celebrate the events of this day.

A skit enacting our covenant as in Joshua, Chapters 3 and 4 was presented. Following the benediction, the Meeting was recessed.

# Sunday, April 29, 1979

The Moderator reconvened the Meeting at 9:10 A.M. following "Faith Alive" worship on the steps of the Hall of Justice, next to Old First Church. It was moved and

VOTED: That the Agenda for the 3:00 P.M. business session be amended so that the business of the Board of Directors may be concluded following the vote on the Resolution on Campus Ministry.

Mr. James Kentfield, Vice Moderator, presided at the morning session. A report from the Massachusetts Council of Churches was given by the Rev. James Nash, Executive Director, and Ms. Diane Kessler, Strategy and Action Commission. Mr. Richard Harter, a director of the United Church Board for Homeland Ministries, introduced the Rev. Susan Savell, staff member of the UCBHM, the Rev. Elizabeth Rice, staff member of the Church of the Covenant, Boston, and Mr. Raul Cotto-Serrano, a member of the faculty at Casa del Sol, an adult vocational education program, and at College III, University of Massachusetts, Boston. Each of them addressed the Meeting telling about the Liberation Church in the South End of Boston. The United Church Board for World Ministries presentation was a report from the Philippines by the Rev. Paul Gregory, Regional Secretary for the Pacific Area. The Rev. Anthony Carpenter, Associate Regional Minister, Northeastern Region of Christian Churches (Disciples of Christ), was welcomed to the Meeting. The next speaker was the Rev. Peggy Owen Clark, Associate Pastor, Union

Memorial Church (Disciples of Christ), Glenbrook, Connecticut. The Rev. Lloyd Dunham presented a "minute" on the UCC colleges. The Meeting recessed at 10:30 A.M.

At 11:00 A.M., the Meeting participated with the congregation of Old First Church in worship, with the Rev. Dr. Yvonne Delk, Associate for Constituency Development, Office for Church in Society, United Church of Christ, preaching. Assisting in the service were the Rev. Delwin Lehmann, the Rev. David H. MacLeod, Mr. John Hudson, the Rev. Alfred E. Williams, and the Clarion Brass, whose participation was arranged in memory of the Rev. Michael Maguire.

The Meeting recessed for dinner.

The Moderator reconvened the Meeting at 2:00 P.M. A theological interpretation was given by Dr. Handspicker. The Rev. George Hodgkins reported on blizzard relief as a result of the 1978 February blizzard. Mr. Williams, prior to offering prayer, commented that the Rev. John Gaskill, ordained 50 years ago, was a part of the group that liberated Dachau 34 years ago today. The Rev. Dr. Max Stackhouse led a meeting participation program around some of the issues to be on the agenda for General Synod XII.

It was moved and

VOTED: To support a Resolution on United Church of Christ Support of Campus Ministry. (A copy follows these minutes.)

Mr. Overlock introduced the Rev. David B. Kreider, Chairperson, Affirmative Action Implementation Team, and Mrs. Barbara Rugg, Chairperson Audit Implementation Team. They made a presentation. It was moved and

VOTED: That the Massachusetts Conference of the United Church of Christ declares itself an Affirmative Action employer and commits itself to establish annual Affirmative Action goals that will be monitored regularly and further commits itself to staff recruitment procedures and personnel practices that result in an increase in the number of minority persons, women, handicapped persons, and persons of different ages among employed personnel, and, in particular, in the Conference Executive Staff.

It was moved and

VOTED: That the Craigville Center Committee and the Warner Farm Committee continue to operate and that the Board of Directors be authorized to appoint members to the Class of 1982; and further, that the Planned Giving Task Force continue to operate for a period of one year and that the Board of Directors be authorized to appoint members to it as necessary.

At the 1978 Fall Meeting of the Conference, the delegates defeated a motion calling for a consumer boycott of the J. P. Stevens Company products. At that time a minority report was given by a member of the task force formed to study the issues and report to the Meeting, but no action was taken on it. A brochure containing misleading and inaccurate information about the Conference and statements printed without its permission has been circulated by the J. P. Stevens Company. Mr. Williams read a letter that was prepared by the Conference's legal counsel and sent to J. P. Stevens about this misrepresentation.

Mr. Philip Smith reported for the Credentials Committee that the following were

in attendance:

Lay Delegates	495
Clergy	259
Directors of Christian Education	8
Ex officiis	34
Voting Total	796
Guests	_89
Grand Total	855

The Rev. Carole MacEachern presented the Hospitality Resolution. It was moved and

VOTED: WHEREAS we, the delegates to the 180th Annual Meeting of the Massachusetts Conference of the United Church of Christ, meeting in Old First Church, Court Square, Springfield, Massachusetts, April 27, 28, and 29, 1979, have received warm and gracious hospitality through the efforts of many people:

BE IT RESOLVED: that we express our deep and sincere thanks to the Rev. Delwin R. Lehmann, pastor of Old First Church, and his congregation for allowing us to meet and worship with them; and to the Rev. David MacLeod, Associate Pastor, and for the music provided by the Adult Choir of Old First Church under the direction of Mr. Charles E. Page, organist and choir director; for their provision of the food service; and for the extraordinary assistance of the lay people and staff of this church.

We also thank the Hampden Association; its out-going moderator, the Rev. Eric Pascom; the Western Area Minister, the Rev. James L. Iancaster; the local committee of clergy and laity in the Springfield area; the tellers and ushers, under Co-chairpersons, the Rev. Gilbert Harttree and the Rev. Alan Copithorne; and the registrars, co-chaired by the Rev. David and Susan Dickerman.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: that we thank the women's guilds of the Mittineague Congregational Church and the First Congregational Church, West Springfield for providing the delicious Sunday dinners.

We also thank Mrs. Susan Dickerman for chairing the committees on local hospitality, child care and the Fellowship Dinner.

We also thank the Rev. Neal Lund and the three churches from whom he borrowed tables and chairs, those churches being Union Church, Springfield; Indian Orchard, and the Federated Church, Chicopee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: that we express our heartfelt appreciation to the Rev. Winifred Jones, the Rev. Paul Zeckhausen, and their committee and the members of the U.C.Y.C. for keeping the FAITH ALIVE in our midst by planning and leading worship during the entire meeting; and to the Rev. Lucille Blood for composing our theme song and leading us in music.

We also thank Dr. Meredith Handspicker for sharing his theological insights to the work we have been about.

In addition, we thank all those churches who contributed their banners to our Meeting; and to all participants who enriched this our 180th Annual Meeting.

We also thank our parliamentarian, Mr. Richard Osterberg; and our Staff leader, Mrs. Barbara Voss, without whose efforts the 180th Annual Meeting would not have taken place.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: that this Resolution be spread upon the records of the Conference and a copy sent to all parties mentioned above.

Mr. Williams was presented with a "WACKY Road Race" tee shirt, which he promptly donned. (The race was held during this session of the Meeting.)

Ms. Janice Shepherd and the Rev. Richard Stochr had prepared the orientation sessions for new delegates. They presented a short skit about "What to Take Home."

Mr. Walker thanked Mr. Kentfield for his support and for chairing the Business Committee. He also expressed his appreciation for words of commendation from the delegates. He then turned the gavel over to Mr. Kentfield, the new Moderator.

Mr. Kentfield voiced his appreciation and gratitude to Mr. Walker for the opportunity to work with him and for the example which he had set.

The closing worship was led by the Reverends Zeckhausen and Jones, assisted by The Rev. Lucille Blood and Mr. Stephen Wales, Brockton, at the organ.

Special appreciation and a round of applause were given for Mrs. Voss.

The Meeting adjourned at 4:20 P.M.

Mrs. Robert J. MacLeod Recording Secretary

Mrs. Priscilla T. Crocker Secretary

# RESOLUTION ON INFANT FORMULA

WHEREAS, much evidence, including responsible medical research and the testimony of health officials and organizations, supports the contention that illness, malnutrition, brain damage and death have resulted from the use of infant formula in areas of the world that lack pure water, adequate refrigeration, the means for sterilization of bottles and sufficient family income; and

WHEREAS, the promotion of infant formula in inappropriate economies and cultures by manufacturers of infant formula has contributed to the spread of dangerous and medically unnecessary uses of formula and the decline of breastfeeding; and

WHEREAS, the manufacturers and promoters of infant formula (Bristol-Myers, American Home Products, Abbott-Ross and Swiss-based Nestle) are corporations which have responsibilities to the larger society of which they are a part and can be held responsible through their accountability to their stockholders, the law or pressures of the marketplace; and

WHEREAS, we may respond to the social problem of infant formula abuse by attempting to act as Christian stockholders, Christian citizens and Christian consumers, thereby helping to shape a public consensus about infant formula promotion; and

WHEREAS, we recognize the need for a flexible effort on this problem,

THEREFORE, the Massachusetts Conference of the United Church of Christ at its annual meeting adopts the following "Infant Formula Plan of Action," which:

- 1. Calls upon the corporations that promote infant formula to cease their promotion in areas where social and economic conditions are such that the use of the formula is apt to damage the health and well-being of infants.
- 2. Calls upon the Conference, its local congregations and people to exercise their obligation as stockholders of the U.S. corporations that manufacture and promote infant formula to encourage the cessation of the inappropriate promotion of infant formula.
- 3. Endorses the international boycott of Nestle's products and calls upon congregations of the Conference to consider like endorsement, since Nestle controls the majority of the world's infant formula sales.
- 4. Calls upon the corporations and appropriate institutions of government to participate cooperatively to determine the nature and extent of formula abuse and establish policies and practices that will reduce said abuse.
- 5. Calls upon the Council for Mission Outreach and Social Responsibility, in consultation with the Hunger Task Force, to monitor the application of this Plan of Action, to take appropriate steps for its implementation and to report upon its implementation at our next annual meeting.

# RESOLUTION ON UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST SUPPORT OF CAMPUS MINISTRY

WHEREAS: We continue to affirm support for UCC-related colleges, but also recognize that there are many UCC students at non-UCC colleges. Therefore, UCC have been an active part of UMHE (United Ministries in Higher Education); and

WHEREAS: UMHE Campus Ministries provide a much-needed connection with the Church for college students away from home; and

WHEREAS: Campus Ministry provides support, worship, fellowship and counseling for college students on large, often impersonal, highly secularized campuses; and

WHEREAS: Campus Ministry is important in identifying and raising up highly qualified clergy and church leadership by assisting interested students in choosing an appropriate seminary, or other means of helping to educate potential church leaders; and

WHEREAS: Campus Ministry provides educational and service opportunities that provide a wider world view to students, sharpening their sensitivity to issues of social justice, and providing local congregations with the fresh vision and input of returning students; and

WHEREAS: Campus Ministry is important in developing ecumenical cooperation; and

WHEREAS: We observe growing concern among many people that, in important areas, the UCC is not carrying its own weight in terms of support for Campus Ministry;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That General Synod 12 requests that all churches, associations, conferences and instrumentalities increase their support for Campus Ministry by all possible means, including increased financial support, adequate attendance at UMHE Commission meetings, and on-going interpretation at all levels of the United Church of Christ.

# MASSACHUSETTS CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

# SUMMARY OF OPERATING STATEMENT, YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1978

	Budget <u>Voted</u>	Operating Schedule	Actual
Operating Revenue Operating Expense	\$714,100 721,200	\$698,000 709,000	\$707,600 707,500
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenue	\$ (7,100)	\$ (11,000)	\$ 100

Deficit in the Operating Schedule was to be met through excess revenue in 1977 set aside for that purpose. Not being necessary, the excess revenue in 1977 was used to reduce the deficit in the General Fund Undesignated.

# CONFERENCE COMMITMENT TO REPLACE CAPITAL USED IN FRAMINGHAM DEVELOPMENT AND RENOVATION

Total Commitment	\$350,000
Revenue from 15¢ of Fellowship Dues and	
U.C.C. Center Fund Contributions	
1976	23,700
1977	62,100
1978	47,900
Total Revenue	133,700
Remaining Commitment	<u>\$216,300</u>

# TOTAL GIVING OF CHURCHES TO OUR CHRISTIAN WORLD MISSION IN 1978

Basic Support - Undesignated	\$1,080,700
Basic Support - Designated	11,300
Directed Gifts	187,500
One Great Hour of Sharing	107,700
Neighbors in Need	42,800
Family Thank Offering	9,000
Christmas Fund	31,500
U.C.C. Hunger Fund	10,900
17/76 Achievement Fund	84,600
Total Giving to O.C.W.M.	\$1,566,000

# ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1978

Current Assets	\$ 491,200
Current Liabilities	281,200
Net Current Assets	210,000
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Investments	2,544,000
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Land, Buildings & Equipment - Unrestricted	493,100
Land, Buildings & Equipment - Restricted	5,700
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Land, Buildings & Equipment - Unrestricted	\$ 493,100
General Funds - Designated	272,400
General Funds - Undesignated (Deficit)	(10,500)
Special Purpose Restricted Funds	39,000
Endowment Fund - Income Unrestricted	2,427,600
Endowment Fund - Income Restricted	31,200
Total Fund Balances	\$3,252,800

# AUDIT

Financial Statements were audited by Alexander Grant & Company of Boston. A duplicated copy of their audited statements is available from the Treasurer's Office.

# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Details on any of the above are available from the Treasurer's Office in the form of reports distributed to delegates to the  $180 \mathrm{th}$  Annual Meeting.

Emil C. Beck Associate Conference Minister & Treasurer

# STATISTICAL TABLES EXPLANATORY

The tables which follow comprise:

1. The statistics of the churches, giving the ministers, church membership, additions, removals and Sunday school membership. These tables, in accordance with the vote of the Conference in 1887 conform to those in the National Year Book;

2. The Associations of Churches, with the names of officers;

3. The Ministerial Record, containing lists of ordinations and deaths.

The tables of the first part contain the names of all the Congregational and United Church of Christ churches in Massachusetts, the towns and cities being arranged alphabetically. This is not a postal guide. It is a listing of the location of the church for the convenience of persons seeking to find the church. The first name in the list of churches is the name of the town or city in which the church is located; then follows the name of the church and directions for locating the church.

Church members are reported as numbered January 1, 1978 to December 31, 1978. Admissions and removals cover the year 1978. "Sunday School" includes total membership of officers, teachers, and scholars December 31, 1978, or when the school is in operation (if not at that date), covering "branch schools," "mission schools," and "home departments," so far as maintained by the reporting church.

The months and days in the dates of the organization of churches are omitted. They will be found in the publications of 1873, those of churches since organized be-

ing given in the "Minutes" of each year.

Reference marks used throughout Schedules:

Figures are for U.C.C. members only.

- B Church is part of a Larger Parish. Name of Larger Parish will be found under the name of the Larger Parish in Conference Summary
- C Charges. The number of each church included in a Charge will be found under the name of the Charge in Conference Summary

D — Dual standing, or affiliation, with another denomination

- X Not enrolled as United Church of Christ minister according to Conference Reports, but has Congregational Christian standing only
- Y Pastor serves more than one church. (See list of yoked churches in Conference Summary)

CM — Campus Ministry

LO — Limited OrdinationNK — Pastor's denomination is not known

PT - Part time

Church made no report and statistics are from previous Year Book, except actual figures reported from Conference Records for Our Mission for Others

 Schedule I. Congregational Christian Churches which have not voted or which have voted to abstain from voting at the time of submitting the

Conference Report

 Schedule II. Congregational Christian Churches which have voted not to be part of the U.C.C. at the time of submitting the Conference Report

In reporting the statistics of federated churches, figures given pertaining to membership are for the Congregational or United Church of Christ churches within the federated churches. Figures pertaining to Church School enrollment are usually for all the churches grouped together in the federated church.

Note:

Pastoral changes between the time year book data was sent to the national office and the time of going to press for our Conference Year Book are not reflected in the following schedules, but are reflected in the association lists and the alphabetical lists.

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PAPK	AVE.& PAUL REVERE RD. GTON, PLEASANT ST., 75 PLEASANT ST. RNHAM, CDM., MAIN & CHAPEL STS. , CDNG. CH., PSWICH RD. ELD, IST CONG. CH., MAIN ST. NO, FED., 118 MAIN ST. ET, UNITED CH. OF, MAIN ST. , 1225 CHESTNUT ST. BORO FALLS, CENTRAL, NHEALTH AVE., ATTLEBORD FALLS BORO, 2ND, 50 PARK ST.	1842 1760 1819 1763 1835 1807 1830 1874	K.B.WENTZEL S.R.TUCKER S.R.JDHNSON, EPISC. D.J.RUDALEVIGE, METH. C.W.WAKEFIFLD	77 74 77 75	1 A 3	270 98 140	95
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0330 BARRE 0340 BECKET 25 TH 0370 BELCH 0370 BELMOI 0390 BELMOI 0400 BELMOI 0410 BELMOI 0420 BERKLI	N, PAKACHOAG COM. CH. FEO., 21 WASHINGTON ST. TABLE, SOUTH CONG., CENTERVILLE TABLE, FED., COTUIT, SCHOOL & HIGH STS. TABLE, WEST PARISH,	1861 1818 1923	C.L. POWELL, ASST. C.P. BUSH, JR. D.C. MYERS, METH. S.W. NEWTON R.S. BURKHART D.W. YOHN	71 77 75 76 72	A 3	84 84 346 84 381	22 48 102 45
0370 BELCH 0380 BELMOI 0390 BELMOI 0400 BELMOI 0410 BELMOI 0420 BERKLI	T, FED. RD, 1ST CH. OF CHRIST, CONG.,	1849	F.R.KELLEY R.S.PAYTON, JR., HAPT. P.E.HAINES	72 77 69	Α	213 50 398	80 38 460
0400 BELMO 0410 BELMO 0420 BERKL	E GREAT RD. ERTOWN NT, 1ST ARMENIAN, 380 CONCORD AVE.		P.F.PURDY V.HARTUNIAN E.H.LINN, BAPT., ASSO.	76 59 68	2	242 220	67 90
0440 BERNA	NT, WAVFRLEY, 1ST, 471 TRAPELO RD. NT, PAYSON PK., 365 RELMONT ST. NT, PLYMOUTH, 582 PLEASANT ST. EY, U.C.C., S. MAIN ST. N, 1ST PAR. FED., CENTRAL ST. RDSTON, UNITED, CHURCH ST., 0 LY, OANE ST., 10 DANE ST.	1913 1899 1737 1779	M.B.HUGHES E.A.ROBERTS, METH. J.C.GLASSER R.H.GARRETT, ASSD.	74 45 78 78 74 78 67 60 77	2 5 5 5 5 A 11 6 6	208 530 525 85 203 169 683	135 102 103 138
0470 BEVER 0480 BEVER 0490 BILLE	LY, 1ST, FED., 167 HALE ST., D LY, IMMANUEL, 140 BRIDGE ST. LY, 2ND, 35 COMANT ST. RICA, DALE COM.,	1953 1903 1713 1929	T.WALTER	77 74 74 74	A 2	83 296 594 35	19 72 170
0500 BILLE	RSHALL ST., NUTTINGS LAKE RICA, IST, 18 ANDOVER RD. RICA,COM.CDNG.CH. NEHURST DE THE U.C.C801 ROSTON RD.	1829 1923	J.G.HUGHES R.J.HALL	75 73		208	169 141
0540 BOSTO	NEHURST DF THE U.C.C.,801 ROSTON RO. STONE, FED., CHURCH ST. N, ALLSTON, 41 QUINT AVE.		W.R.MILLER A.W.WELCH H.BURSEY, P.EM.	76 77		67 110	53 42
0570 BDSTD	N, BRIGHTON, EVANG., 404 WASHINGTON ST. N, 1ST CH. IN CHARLESTOWN/U.C.C./, EEN ST.		P.G.PITMAN C.V.FORD	7B 78	ŀ	97 96	25 10
67 NE	N, CH.OF THE COVENANT, FED., WBURY ST.  N, DORCHESTER,	1932	J.C. WILLIAMSON D.DAY-LOMER, PRESB. J.W.FRASER, PRESB. A.L. HAGEMAN, PRESB. M.M. MULVAIN, PRESB., MUS. E.P. RICE INACTIVE	72 77 72 72 78 74	A	55	141
0600 BOSTO	N, DURCHESTER, BIA POINT, CHR. CENTER N, DORCHESTER, PILGRIM, 540 COLUMBIA RD. N, DORCHESTER, 2ND, 600 WASHINGTON ST. N, FOREST HILLS, COVENANT, 455 ARBORWAY	1862 1808	D.A. VENATOR	60 67 75	п 2	141 284 312	55 140

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CHURCH	LOCATION AND NAME OF CHURCH	YEAR ORG.	NAME	YEAR		MBERS	SCHOOL ENROLL- MENT
0630	BOSTON, GRACE, FED.,	1836	O.L.HOLT, EPISC.	78	Α	83	7
0650	BYRON & SARATOGA STS., EAST BOSTON BOSTON, JAMAICA PLAIN, BOYLSTON,	1879	G.MORRISON, METH., IP	77	п	294	
0660	207 AMORY ST. BOSTON, JAMAICA PLAIN, CENTRAL,	1853	D.C.BAILEY	74		145	40
0690 0700	85 SEAVERNS AVE. BOSTON, MT. VERNON, 645 BOYLSTON ST. BOSTON, OLD SOUTH, 645 BOYLSTON ST.,		J.W.CRAWFORD J.W.CRAWFORD R.H.CHRISTFNSON, ASSO. D.C.HUFFMAN, PRESB,, ASST. F.M.MEEK, P.EM.	74 74 78 76		38 821	80
	ROSTON, ROXBURY, ELIOT, 120 WALNUT AVE. BOSTON, ROXBURY, ST.MARK, 210 TOWNSEND ST.		A.C.CAMPBELL, BAPT. J.N.ROBINSON S.R.LAVISCOUNT, P.EM.	74 77		340 317	
0770	ROSTON, WEST ROXBURY, 77 STRATFORD ST. BOXBORDUGH, U.C.C., CONG., MASSACHUSETTS AVE. BOXFORD, 1ST, GEORGETOWN RD.	1835 1829 1702		77 74 78 78 78	Δ	165 185 324	
0790	BOXFORD, 2ND, WEST, WASHINGTON ST.	1736	N.8.CROOK,P.T. N.M.KLASSEN,P.T.MIN.SPIRT	75		242	112
0820 0830	BOYLSTON, 1ST CONG., 12 CHURCH ST. BRAINTREE, SOUTH, WASHINGTON & POND STS. BRIDGEWATER, CENTRAL SQ. BRIDGEWATER, SCOTLAND, PLEASANT ST.	1829 1821	R.L.SNYDER  O.W.SMITH  O.NOVOTNY  D.J.HOTTENSTEIN	76 68 78 79		444 202 241 39	66 132
0850	BRIMFIELD, 1ST, MAIN ST. BROCKTON, 1ST, 24 PLEASANT ST.	1724	R.D.LOGGIE C.W.CROOKER	73 73		169 346	
0870	BROCKTON, LINCOLM, 13 WALES AVE. BROCKTON, PORTER, 33 N.MAIN ST.	1897	S.H.BULLOCK,LIC.,BAPT. R.STOUGHTON,JR. M.S.SAMMONS,C.E. L.G.MYERS,P.EM.	76 57 62		60 466	
0890 0900	BROCKTON, SOUTH, 1101 MAIN ST. BROCKTON, WALDO, 976 N.MAIN ST.		E.A.WALKER C.W.CRODKER,Y.	71 73		463 65	
0920	RROOKFIELD, CENTRAL & COMMON STS. BROOKLINE, HARVARD CH., 210 HARVARD ST.	1827	C.CHIFFELLE,Y. K.E.CLAUS,JR. D.A.WILLIAMS,METH.	75 78 75		113 210	
0950 0960	BUCKLAND, 1ST CONG., UPPER ST. BURLINGTON, U.C.C., CONG., BEDFORD & LEXINGTON STS., D		H.E.MUNSON R.G.NYREN	73 78		142 324	
0980	CAMBRIDGE, 1ST, GARDEN & MASON STS.	1633	A.HAPPE J.H.LEAMON, P.EM.	77		260	65
0990	CAMPRIDGE, NORTH CONG. CH. OF, INC. MASSACHUSETTS AVE. & ROSELAND ST.	1857	P.B. IVES	76		80	10
	CAMBRIDGE, PILGRIM, 35 MAGAZINE ST. CAMBRIDGE, PROSPECT, 99 PROSPECT ST.		D.A.STEELE F.M.WEISKEL	71 70		87 130	
1020 1030	CANAAN, N.Y., CONG., CANAAN FOUR CORNERS CANTON, 1541 WASHINGTON ST. CARVER, 1ST CONG., PLYMOUTH ST., NORTH CARVER, D	1785 1828	J.W. MC KINSTRY, Y. P.STEVENS R.H. MERRITT, METH.	78 74 70	12	118 450 57	50 165
	CHARLEMONT, 1ST, MAIN ST., CHARLTON, FED., MAIN ST.		J.GEER, METH. J.F. VIEIRA	75 79		127 114	
1080	CHATHAM, 650 MAIN ST. CHELMSFORD, CENTRAL CONG., WORTHEN ST.	1720	R.K. BAILEY H.W. EVANS	69		430	43
1110	CHELSEA, IST, COUNTY RD. CHESTER, U.C.C., 2ND CONG., MAIN & MIDDLEFIELD STS.	1841		70		190	36
1160	CHESTERFIELD, 1ST CONG. CH. OF, U.C.C. CHICOPEE, 1ST, 306 CHICOPEE ST. CHICOPEE, 3RD, FED.,	1752	W.H.NOYES H.E.WHITF F.P.HEWITT,INT.,LAY	74 76		121 199 66	93
	PFARL & SPRINGFIELD STS., D CLINTON, 1ST, WALNUT ST.		W.L.PARSONS	76		100	
1190 1200	CLINTON, GERMAN CH., HASKELL AVE.& BEECH ST. COHASSET, BEECHWOOD CONG. CH. OF, CHURCH ST.	1887 1863	R.L.CAMPBELL, METH. W.G.SEWFLL, CONG., P.EM.	65		140	51
1230	COHASSET, 2ND, HIGHLAND AVE. CONCORD, TRINITARIAN, WALDEN ST.		J.M.BENBOW C.W.GILBERT	73 70		218 667	
1240	CONCORD, UNION, WEST, 1317 MAIN ST., COMCORD CONWAY, UNITED, ELM ST., D	1889	F.W. FREEMAN J.D. MOORE, BAPT.	73 76		323 82	96
1260	CUMMINGTON, VILLAGE CONG. CH. DALTON, 514 MAIN ST.	1838	C.E.MC EWAN,Y. G.B.HIGGINS F.L.COUCH,ASST.,P.EM. I.M.FRAZIER,C.E.	71 70 73 74		100 1,262	
	DANVERS, 1ST, 41 CENTRE ST. DANVERS, MAPLE ST.		L.A.KALLAND, INT. R.L.MEIER J.NEVILLE, ASST.	64		259 990	
	DARTMOUTH, SMITH MILLS CHR. CDNG./U.C.C./, STATE RD., NORTH DARTMOUTH DARTMOUTH, SOUTH,		E.W. MILLER, JR. N. BOYNTON, III	75		185 376	
	17 MYDDLE ST., SOUTH DARTMOUTH DEDHAM, ALLIN, 683 HIGH ST.		T.E.ROTH	77		385	
	OEDHAM, RIVERDALE, NEEDHAM ST.& DIXON AVE.		W.H.BRITTAIN, P.EM.	63		118	
	DEERFIELD. SOUTH, MAIN ST., SOUTH DEERFIELD		M.L.SAHAKIAN J.A.SMITH, PRESB., INT.	78 78		133	
1370	DENNIS, SOUTH, MAIN ST.  DENNIS, UNION, MAIN ST.	1817	R.A.STOEHR W.T.VANDEVER, BAPT., P.EM. D.M. POWERS	65		340	74
	DENNIS, UNION, MAIN ST. DENNIS, WEST DENNIS COM., MAIN ST., WEST DENNIS	1833	H.T.POTTER, JR.			132	

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CHURCH	LOCATION AND NAME OF CHURCH	ORG.	NAME	YEAR	MEMI		SCHOOL ENROLL- MENT
	DOUGLAS, 1ST, CHURCH ST.		A.N.LA PENTA, METH. D.O.CLARK	77		63 390	33 130
	DRACUT, CHRIST CH. UNITED DUDLEY, DUDLEY HILL	1969		75		239	98
1480	DUNSTABLE, CONG. U.C.C., MAIN ST.	1757	H.E. PRICE, BAPT.	73	В	171 76	26 125
1490	DUXBURY, THE PILGRIM CH., 404 WA SHINGTON ST.	1843	S.W.TURRELL J.L.VINCZE	76		524	250
	EAST BRIDGEWATER, UNION CONG., PLEASANT ST.		G.D.CHAPMAN	69		171	113
1520	EASTHAMPTON, 112 MAIN ST. EAST LONGMEADOW, 7 SOMERS RD.		E.F.DIBBLE G.H.HARTTREE	78 75		461 712	150 150
1540	EGREMONT, SOUTH, D		J.S.CHASE, BAPT.	53		151	41
1570	ERVING, F.MAIN ST. ESSEX, 1ST CONG. /U.C.C./, MAIN ST.	1683	A.S.WONSON, JR.	74		34 150	20 43
	EVERETT, 1ST, 460 BROADWAY EVERETT, MYSTIC SIDE, 422 MAIN ST.		G.O.PARKER, METH., INT. R.LAMBERT, METH., STUD.	67 78		153 95	21 50
	FAIRHAVEN, 1ST CONG. CH. OF,		H.A.TADGELL, JR.	73		376	76
1620	CENTER & WILLIAM STS. FALL RIVER, CENTRAL, 100 ROCK ST.	1842	J.H.MADDOFORD, P.EM. Y.			208	22
	FALL RIVER, NORTH CHRISTIAN U.C.C.,		W.F.KNOX,Y.,INT.			64	15
1640	3538 N. MAIN ST. FALMOUTH, 1ST, THE VILLAGE GREEN	1708	S.F.JOHNSON	68		551	122
1650	FALMOUTH, NORTH, OLO MAIN RD., NORTH FALMOUTH	1832	R.H.LONG, P.F.	70		120	49
1690	FITCHBURG, FAITH UNITED PARISH, 820 MAIN ST.	1768	M.E.DAVIS	77		265	
1700	FITCHBURG, ELM ST., 264 ELM ST.	1895	D.R.SHERWOOD W.A.SUMNER, P.EM.	77		206	57
	FITCHBURG, ROLLSTONE, 199 MAIN ST.		W.N.STONE	79		397	63
	FITCHBURG, TRINITY, 127 ROLLSTONE ST- FOXBORO, BETHANY CONG., ROCK HILL ST-	1779	E.VAENI,INTERIM R.J.WHITEHEAD	77		98 518	13 175
	FRAMINGHAM, GRACE, UNION AVE.		T.E.DIPKO	77		743	200
	FRAMINGHAM, PLYMOUTH, CENTRE, EDGELL RD.		J.H.WILLIAMS,C.E. D.B.LEAVITT	78 76		690	273
	FRAMINGHAM, EDWARDS, EDWARDS ST., SAXONVILLE FRANKLIN, FED., 171 MAIN ST.		E.A.HAMBRICK-STOWE	75 62	Δ	111	60 185
1780	GARDNER, 1ST CONG., 28 GREEN ST.	1786	J.R.CONDON	72	_	231	104
1820	GEORGETOWN, ANDRVER ST.	1732	8.W.CALLAHAN, P.EM. P.H. SOUTHWICK	65		274	156
	GEORGETOWN, RYFIELD PAR. CH., INC., WARREN ST.		W.E.BOYLAN	69 79		260	200
	GILBERTVILLE, TRINITARIAN CONG. CH., MAIN ST.	1827	W.R.WOOLLEY, ASST. J.A.EWEN, Y.	75		58	45
	GILL, 1ST CONG. GLOUCESTER, UNION, NORMAN AVE.	1796	C.G. SEAMANS, LIC., LAY N.NDRTON, LIC.	52	п	35 55	6 35
	GLOUCESTER, TRINITY, MIDDLE & SCHOOL STS.		J.W. ARNOLD	73		430	86
1890	GRAFTON, EVANG., CENTRAL SQ.	1731	J.O.PARSONS,ASST. J.N.CEDARLFAF	78		279	
1900	GRAFTON, UNION, 88 MAIN ST., SOUTH GRAFTON GRANBY, CH. OF CHRIST, STATE ST.	1895	H.A.SWETNAM R.A.WYANSK!	77		44 193	22 86
1920	GRANVILLE, 1ST, FED., D	1750	R.A.MONSTUR, RAPT.	73	Α	89	00
1930 1940	GRANVILLE, WEST GPEAT BARRINGTON, 1ST CONG., U.C.C.,		1 NACTIVE W.A.MORGAN	74		36	75
	251 MAIN ST.						
1960	GREENFIELD, 1ST, SILVER ST. & EASTERN AVF. GREENFIELD, ROBBINS MEM., 55 MUNSON ST.	1919		71 68		287 181	64 44
1970	GREENFIELD, 2ND, COURT SQ.	1817	L.H.DUNHAM D.E.LEBLANC, ASSO.	74		640	212
1980	GROTON, UNION, MAIN ST.		P.E.WEDLOCK	72		212	80
	GROTON, CHR.UNION, WEST GROVELAND, KING ST.	1885 1726		77		99 431	85 90
	HADLEY, 1ST CONG., MIDDLE ST.	1659		67		149	79
	HADLEY, 2ND CONG., 243 RIVER DR., NORTH HADLEY		S.J. PARKER, Y.	67		62	15
2030	HALIFAX, U.C.C. /CONG./, PLYMOUTH ST. HAMILTON, 1ST CONG. CH. OF, BAY & CUTLER RDS.	1732 1714	R.E.JOHNSON B.W.THURBER	77		222	150 100
2050	HAMPDEN, FED. CDM. CH. OF, 590 MAIN ST.	1926	S.FASTH	71	Α	374	120
	HANOVER, 1ST CONG./U.C.C./, HANOVER ST.		W.R.RILEY W.G.SEWELL, P.EM.	64		352	201
	HARDWICK, CALVINISTIC, FED., D HARVARD, STILL RIVER RD.		J.A.EWEN,Y. T.H.GREGG	75 64		72 221	47 160
	HARWICH, 1ST CONG. U.C.C., MAIN ST.		A.C.RONANDER	71		552	103
			J.SHEPHERD, LIC., ASST. H.L. MEYER, P.E.	75			
2130	HARWICH PORT, PILGRIM CONG., 533 MAIN ST.	1854	C.H.MONBLEAU H.R.DUNBAR, ASST.ERISC.	55 72	1,	033	154
			D.L.CLARKE, STUD.				
	HATFIELD, MAIN ST. HAVERHILL, 1ST CH. DF CHRIST, BRADFORD,	1671	T.C.CARLTON	77		187	50 71
	10 CHURCH ST. HAVERHILL, 1ST, 232 MAIN ST.		F.A.PEASE,JR.	78		379	71
2180	HAVERHILL, RIVERSIDE MEM., 278 GROVELAND ST.	1884	W.J. VENTIMIGLIA	74	0	355	83
2190	HAWLEY, 1ST HAWLEY, 2ND CONG., WEST HAWLEY		INACTIVE MRS.DONALD HOWES, LAY			20	
2205	HAYDENVILLE, CONG. CH. HEATH, UNION EVANG., O	1851	R.S.HOPKINS A.E.GEER,MFTH.	70		102	39
	HINGHAM, CONG. U.C.C., 378 MAIN ST.		E.E.ALGER	78 69		47 652	12 310
2230	HINSDALE, 1ST CONG./U.C.C./, MAPLE ST.	1795	E.W. BARTHOLOMEW, PT. R.H. TAYLOR, Y.	77		155	84
2240	HOLDEN, CHAFFIN, HOLDEN & SHREWSBURY STS.	1903	R.R.ROCK	74		249	79
2250	HOLDEN, 1ST, 1180 MAIN ST.		W.W.TUCKER A.B.DAY,ASSO.	74		725	325

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CHURCH	LOCATION AND NAME OF CHURCH	ORG.	NAME	YEAR	TOTAL MEMBERS	SCHOOL ENROLL- MENT
2270	HOLLISTON, WASHINGTON ST.	1728	C.S. SANGREE	62	766	250
2290	HOLYOKE, GRACE U.C.C. IN HOLYOKE MASS.,	1799		75 74	487	62
2300	474 PLEASANT ST. HOLYOKE, 2ND, 395 HIGH ST.	1849	J.D.WATSON R.E.WALLEN	77 73	750	295
	HOPEDALE, UNION EVANG., 25 DUTCHER ST.	1901		77	265	92
	HDPKINTON, MAIN ST. HOUSATONIC, MAIN ST.	1724 1841	R.A.GERMAINE, BAPT.	72	A 462	200 35
	HUBBARDSTON, FED., MAIN ST., /FFD./ HUDSDN, FED., 200 CENTRAL ST.		S. SINGLEY, STUD. H.L. ALDRIN	78 71		115
2360	HUNTINGTON, IST COMG., NORWICH HILL IPSWICH, IST CH. IN, N. MAIN ST.	1778	H.WESTCDTT, LAY	77	34 211	25 120
2390	LAKEVILLE, U.C.C., PRECINCT ST. LANCASTER, EVANG. CDNG. CH., 793 MAIN ST.	1719	J.M.HANER	78	211	129
2420	LAWRENCE, HDPE CONG. CH., U.C.C.,		W.E. DUBDC Q B.C. GRAVES	71 77	175 218	140 21
2430	165 HAVERHILL ST. LAWRENCE, UNITED RIVERSIDE CONG.,	1878	P.L. PARCELL, Y.	77	166	20
2440	290 WATER ST. LAWRENCE, SOUTH, 198 S. BROADWAY	1868	J.D.STINSDN, POC., DISC.	75	n 131	54
			L.E.FERRIS, LIC., ASST. E.B. WALTON, METH., STUD.	70 76		
	LAWRENCE, SPANISH EVANG., 61A WARREN ST., D LEE, 1ST CONG. CH. DF, 20 PARK PL.		W.D.GARCIA W.S.RYAN	77 68		106 104
2480	LEICESTER, FED., WASHBURN SQ. LENDX, U.C.C. IN	1719	R.J.MDRGAN R.R.KYTE	66	104 206	42
	LEOMINSTER, THE CONG. CH. OF CHRIST OF, 583 MAIN ST.		W. K. SHONTZ	71	158	39
2510	LEDMINSTER, PILGRIM, 26 WEST ST.	1822	J.S.BARBER,SR. C.G.CHRISTIANSON,P.E.	71 63	476	107
2520	LEVERETT	1774	K.A.FERGUSON L.F.RDSE	77 76	84	35
	LEXINGTON, HANCOCK U.C.C., 1912 MASSACHUSETTS AVE.		H.H.CLARK E.D.MC LANE, MIN.ED.	55 70	1,376	250
2540		1050	T.E.ATKINSON, JR. INT. ASSO.	78	201	0.4
	LEXINGTON, PILGRIM, 55 COOLIDGE AVE. LINCOLN, THE IST PARISH IN, BEDFORD RO.		F.E.POTTER H.W.GREGORY	74 70	294 329	84 94
	LITTLETON, 308 KING ST.		G.S.RANSOM W.E.BELDAN, JR.	76 78	321	138
	LONGMEADOW, 1ST CH. OF CHRIST IN LONGMEADOW, 763 LONGMEADOW ST.	1716	C.B.SCHAAF,CD-P. G.A.DELDNG,CD-P.	65 73	1,737	258
2580	LOWELL, CHRIST CHURCH UNITED, 1 BARTLETT ST.	1969	P.W.MERCER C.A.MAXFIELD,MIN.ED.	78 77	392	88
	LOWELL, PAWTUCKET, MAMMOTH RD. LUDLOW, 1ST, 859 CENTER ST.		G.R.NASER H.G.M.GALA7KA	77 69	100 637	18 100
2640	LUDLOW, UNIDN, CENTER ST. LUNENBURG, 1ST EVANG. CONG. CH.,	1867	C.W.KIRKPATRICK R.W.DUPEE,METH.	71	194 223	52 42
	14 MAIN ST., D LYNN, BETHANY, 410 EASTERN AVE.		W.H.SIMPSON	60	107	74
2670	LYNN, CENTRAL, 97 BRDAD ST.	1850	A.HOLLIS	71	209	27
2070	LYNNFIELD, CENTRE, SUMMER & MAIN STS.	1720	M.F. STRICKLAND B.LEWIS, DIR.C.E.	76 76	763	194
			A.SCHNEIDER, LAY, CODRD. FAM T.CLOUGH, LAY, YTH. MIN. INT.	78		
2710	LYNNFIELD, COM., 735 SALEM ST. MALDEN, IST, 184 PLEASANT ST.		J.C.MARSHALL H.G.LANDWEHR,JR.	43 78	218 514	65 76
	MANCHESTER, CENTRAL ST. MANSFIELD, DRTH. CONG., 15 WEST ST.	1716 1838	J.MC CLOY, JR. J.C. MARTIN	68 76	257	70
2760	MARBLEHEAD, 1ST CH. DF CHRIST IN MARBLEHEAD, INC., 41 WASHINGTON ST.	1684	C.F.HOOD, ASSO.	65	827	124
2780 2790	MARLBORDUGH, HIGH & BOLTON STS. MARSHFIELD, IST, U.C.C., DCEAN ST.		Z.DDHANIAN W.J.CDX, PRESB.	73 69	400 264	225 154
2810	MATTAPDISETT, CHURCH ST. MAYNARD, UNIDN, MAIN ST.		D.H.FINLEY	67 78	336 228	135
	MEDFIELD, U.C.C., MAIN ST.		R.L.WOOD	65	631	330
	MEDFORD, NORTH ST. UNION, NORTH ST.		O.D.ASAMDA,C.E.,POC. D.W.HUGHES,Y.	78 78		7
	MEDFORD, UNION, 15 MARION ST. MEDFORD, WEST MEDFORD CONG., 400 HIGH ST.		J.W.COAKLEY,Y. G.H.WASHBURN	74	512	25 35
			D.W.HUGHES, Y., ASSO. J.W.COAKLEY, Y., ASSO.	78 74		
2910	MELROSE, 1ST CONG. CH. U.C.C., 121 W. FOSTER ST.	1848	C.W. FULLER	49	828	192
2930	MELROSE HIGHLANDS, 355 FRANKLIN ST. MERRIMAC, PILGRIM CONG. U.C.C., CHURCH ST.		D.E.DVERLOCK E.D.COMINS, JR.	74 67	656 254	126 60
2950	METHUEN, BETHEL ARMENIAN, PLEASANT ST. METHUEN, 1ST, PLEASANT ST.	1943	INACTIVE D.R.LADRE	57	378	180
2700	METHOLIT 1317 PETAGNIT 316	1129	E.W.A.JENKINSON, P.EM.		516	100
			A.FIENE, I.C.A. J.A.FRASER, I.C.A.	77 78		
2990	METHUEN, FOREST ST.UNION MIDDLEBORC, NORTH, PLYMOUTH ST.	1748	R.L.PARCELL,Y. P.E.LAUFFER,UNIV.	77 70		30 65
3010	MIDDLEFIFLD, CONG., MAIN ST. MIDDLETDN, MAPLE ST.		R.H.TAYLDR,Y. E.R.LENG	72 74	55 ¤ 343	30 96
3030	MILLBURY, IST, W.MAIN ST. MILLBURY, RAYMOND MEM., RAYMOND ST.	1747	D.K.MARTIN J.S.CLAUSEN	74 74	202 96	57 40
3050	MILLBURY, 2ND, FED., 20 MAIN ST. MILLIS, CH. OF CHRIST, EXCHANGE ST.	1827	T.G. THOMPSON, METH.	75	A 210	44 168
3060	MILLIS, CH. UF CHRIST, EXCHANGE ST.	1714	J.C.SLEEPER	78	223	16

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3070	MILTON, EAST, 610 ADAMS ST.	1843	M.F.WASHBURN,JR. L.C.SCHROEDER,P.EM.			410	67
3080	MILTON, 1ST, 495 CANTON AVE.	1678	D.E.TATRO	61		197	
3090	MONSON, 1ST, HIGH ST. MONTAGUE, 1ST, CENTRAL ST.	1762 1751		70 78		283	100
3110	MONTAGUE, MILLERS FALLS, BRIDGE ST.,	1872	J.STIRLING, III, Y.	74		135	65
3120	MILLERS FALLS MONTAGUE, 1ST CONG. CH. OF TURNERS FALLS,	1875	J.A.BRONWELL	75		135	35
3130	SEVENTH & L STREETS, TURNERS FALLS MONTEREY, U.C.C.	1750	V.V.BRALLIER	65		90	
3160			E.F.SWANSBURG R.B.DENNETT	62		202 610	65 153
3180	NATICK, ELIOT, FED., ELIOT ST., SOUTH NATICK	1651			ΠA	50	17
3190	NEFDHAM, 1154 GREAT PLAIN AVE.	1857	P.C.CLAYTON R.L.DDDDS,ASSO.	74 74		964	339
2210	NEW REDFORD, PILGRIM U.C.C., INC.,	1807	H.R.SMITH, P.EM. D.P.RANSOM	73		182	45
	BX D-320, COR. PURCHASE & SCHOOL STS.						
3220	NEW BRAINTREE, THE NEW BRAINTREE CONG.CH., INC. NEWBURY, 1ST PAR., 18 HIGH RD.		J.A.EWEN,Y. F.R.CUTTER	75 70		51 337	
3240	NEWBURYPORT, BELLEVILLE, 300 HIGH ST.		E.G.HANGEN R.J.MACLEOD	70		198 304	
3250	14 TITCOMB ST.		H.B.MINER, P. EM.				, ,
3260	NEW MARLBOROUGH, UNITED	1960	T.K.THOMPSON J.G.GASKILL, R.EM.	79		96	
	NEW SALEM, CENTRAL, MAIN ST. NEWTON, AUBURNDALE, 64 HANCOCK ST.		R.J.CDSSEBOOM D.B.KREIDER	65 72		46 319	
3300	NEWTON, ELIOT, 474 CENTRE ST.	1845	H.R.DAVIS	73		237	54
3310 3330	NEWTON, NEWTONVILLE, CENTRAL, 218 WALNUT ST. NEWTON, WABAN, UNION, 14 COLLINS RD., D		W.P.TOLLEY B.M.JOHNSON, JR.	78 65		303 474	
	NEWTON, WEST, 2ND, 60 HIGHLAND ST.	1781	R.W.BAUER C.O.YOO,ASSO.	72 78		668	115
	NEWTON HIGHLANDS, 54 LINCOLN ST.		PT.SUPPLY			260	
3360	NORFOLK, FED., UNION ST.		L.R.KANTZER,U.C.C.,BAPT.	69 78		124 475	
3380	NORTH ADAMS, IST CONC., MAIN ST. NORTHAMPTON, EDWAPDS, 297 MAIN ST. NORTHAMPTON, 1ST, MAIN & CENTER STS.	1833	J.G.TWEED R.L.MOSER	75 76		506 331	
	NORTH ANDOVER, TRINITARIAN CONG., FLM ST.		H.I.SCHUMM	67		413	
3430	NORTH ATTLEBORO, 1ST, OLD POST RD.	1712	P.R.SCHUMM, PT.ASSD.	76		137	91
	NORTHBOROUGH, TRINITY CH. OF, 23 MAIN ST.	1832	C.S.WOLF, BAPT. D.F.SHELDON, ASSO.	72 73		766	226
	NORTHBRIDGE, CENTER, 1276 HILL ST., WHITINSVILLE		G.C.MERTEN	65		46	
3460	NORTHBRIDGE, ROCKOALF CONG. /U.C.C./, FOWLER RO.	1899	L.C. MESSIER, LIC.	77		92	,
	NORTHFIELD, MAIN ST., EAST NORTHFIELD NORTH READING, 148 HAVERHILL ST.		L.E.PARRILL H.R.FOHLIN, JR.	65		178 358	
3510	NORTON, F.MAIN ST.	1832		69		268 385	115
3520	NORWELL, U.C.C., CONG., 460 MAIN ST. NORWDDD, 100 WINTER ST.	1736	D.C.NORLING L.H.WARNER	73		432	82
3540	DAKHAM, COLDBROOK RD. ORANGE, CENTRAL, 93 S.MAIN ST.		E.E.WILLIAMS, LO. L.O.DALLAIRE	76		85 229	
3550	DRANGE, COM. CH. UNIV. CONG. DF N. DRANGE & TULLY, MAIN ST.	1945	A.W. SHAW	70	ШΔ	23	13
	ORLEANS, FED., MAIN ST., EAST DRLEANS		P.T. JONES	70	Α	399	
3580	OXFORD, 1ST CONG. CH., U.C.C., MAIN ST.	1721	K.H.BROWN L.R.YEAGLE, P.EM.	75		293	
	PALMER, 2ND, CHURCH & PLEASANT STS. PALMER, THORNDIKE, CHURCH ST.		A.C.COPITHORNE INACTIVE	77		386	200
	PALMER, THREE RIVERS UNION EVANG. CH.,		PT. SUPPLY			56	12
3620	MAIN ST., THREE RIVERS PAXTON, CHURCH ST.	1767	D.D.WHITCOM8	72		327	141
			J.T.WHITCOMB, D.R.E. K.C.WILLIAMS, STUD., YTH.	72			
3640	PFABODY, SOUTH, 60 PROSPECT ST. PELHAM, UNITED, AMHERST RD.		R.H.BARBER J.W.FIEGENBAUM	70		267 125	
3690	PERU, 1ST CONG./U.C.C./, MAIN RO.	1770	D.SMALL	77		35	11
3700	PETERSHAM, ORTH. CONG., N. MAIN ST.	1823	G.P. TATE H.P. HORN, ASST.	34		118	60
	PHILLIPSTON, PHILLIPSTON CENTER PITTSFIELD, 1ST CH. DF CHRIST, 27 EAST ST.	1785	A.L. TEIKMANIS, Y.			72 576	
	RITTSFIELD, IMMANUEL, 71 CHAPEL ST.		C.J. SEIFRIT, ASST.	71		71	
	PITTSFIELD, PILGRIM MEMORIAL,		L.P.DURGIN,Y. A.L.TEIKMANIS,Y.	70	D	272	
3750	PITTSFIELD, 2ND, DNDTA ST.	1846				87	12
3760	PITTSFIELD, SOUTH, 110 SOUTH ST. PLAINFIELD, MAIN ST.	1850	L.P.DURGIN, Y. J.H.WDOD	69 77		512 103	109
	PLYMOUTH, PILGRIMAGE, TOWN SO.		E.T.ANTHONY	47		601	
	PLYMOUTH, 2ND CH. DF, STATE RD., MANDMET		G.L.MARKS,DISC.,ASSO.	71 69		134	
	PRINCETON, MOUNTAIN RD.		R.M. ANDERSON S.J. KEACH	75		108 298	
	QUINCY, BETHANY, 18 SPEAR ST.		J.D.BANKS	54 77		618	
3850	QUINCY, 1ST CH. DE SQUANTUM,	1914	E.D.J.ZUERN, ASST. E.LANGEVIN, RAPT.	78		256	
3870	164 BELLEVUE RD., NORTH QUINCY QUINCY, MEM. CONG., NEWBURY AVE., NORTH QUINCY	1885	A.R.CURTIS	78		175	30
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3880	QUINCY, WOLLASTON, UNION,	1897	F.W. ARCHER	72	158	35
3900	REACH ST.& RAWSON RD., WOLLASTON QUINCY, WOLLASTON CONG. CH. /U.C.C./, 48 WINTHROP AVE., WOLLASTON	1876	L.F. MARTIN	70	198	37
3905	QUINCY POINT, 444 WASHINGTON ST.	1884	W.E.CLARK B.BOHARIAN, P.EM.	78	743	170
	RANDDLPH, 1 S. MAIN ST. RAYNHAM, 1ST CONG., U.C.C., RAYNHAM CENTER		A.W.BOWLER INTERIM	56	471 214	
	READING, 25 WDBURN ST.		P.E.BARNES J.E.FINE, ASSD.	68 77		
	REHOBOTH, BAY STATE RD. RICHMOND, U.C.C./CONG./ IN, STATE RD.	1721 1765	R.A.WEIR	75	495 188	
4000	ROCHESTER, EAST CONG. CH., WEST WAREHAM ROCHESTER, NORTH, CONG. U.C.C. NORTH AVF.	1753	G.A.ROBINSON	54	29	
4020	ROCKLAND, 1ST CONG., 12 CHURCH ST. ROCKPORT, MAIN & SCHOOL STS.	1755	W.D.GOBLE P.C.BORTON	73 73	198	16
4040	ROWLEY, 1ST CONG., MAIN ST. ROYALSTON, 1ST, MAIN ST.	1766	P.D.MILLIN J.M.WILLIS, Y.N.E.A.C.C.C.	71 77	89	38
4060	ROYALSTON, 2ND, SCHOOL ST., SOUTH ROYALSTON RUTLAND, MAIN ST.	1723	J.M.WILLIS, Y.N.E.A.C.C.C. R.S.PRYCE	77 70		100
	SALEM, CROMBIE ST. SALEM, TABERNACLE, WASHINGTON & FEDERAL STS.		C.C.NAVLE,Y. C.C.TOBIN	78 78	283	
4100	SANDWICH, 1ST CH. DF CHRIST, MAIN ST.		E.SONIER, LAY, ASST. R.CANNON, INTERIM	78	361	
4120	SAUGUS, CLIFTONDALE, 50 ESSEX ST. SAUGUS, 1ST, 300 CENTRAL ST.	1732	C.N.HUME C.C.NAVLE,Y.	66 78	278 136	
	SCITUATE, COUNTRY WAY SHARDN, N.MAIN ST.	1635 1741	G.A.HODGKINS R.E.LEIDBERG	68 74		
	SHEFFIELD, DLD PAR. CONG. CH., MAIN ST. SHELBURNE, 1ST, COMMON RD.	1735 1770		76 77	□A 155 132	
4180	SHELBURNE FALLS, TRINITY CH., SEVERANCE ST.	1850	B.E.J.NEW P.H.STEINMETZ, EPISC.ASST.	69 73	A 201	137
4190 4210	SHERBORN, PILGRIM, U.C.C., 25 S. MAIN ST. SHREWSBURY, CHURCH RD.		W.A.TELFER, INTERIM P.V.VARGA D.O.WRIGHT, ASSO.	74 72	331 1,018	
4230 4250	SOMERSET, 1411 COUNTY ST. SOMERVILLE, BROADWAY WINTER HILL CONG. CH., CDR. CENTRAL ST.		R.M.BARTLETT,P.E. H.M.EMERY J.MERRILL J.J.GUNTHER,III,ASSC.	56 74 63	174 200	
4260	SOMERVILLE, 1ST, 89 COLLEGE AVE.	1853	W.T.HOWE, P.EM. J.E.THOMAS	77	248	54
4280 4290	SOMERVILLE, PROSPECT HILL, 17 BOW ST. SOUTHAMPTON, 1ST CONG. CH. DF, MAIN ST.		A.W.STDNE W.R.MARK	49 76		
4295	SOUTH ATTLEBORO, BETHANY CONG., 516 NEWPORT AVE.		J.J.BETOURNAY	77	125	
4300 4320	SOUTHBORTUGH, PILGRIM, COMMON ST. SOUTHBRIDGE, ELM ST.		T.A.HUNT D.G.CHRISTENSEN, JR. E.F.MATHEWSON, P.EM.	75 78 71	230 248	
4330	SOUTH HADLEY, 1ST CONG., 1 CHURCH ST.		C.P.BLAKNEY C.A.AVILA, ASST.	70 75	n 505	5 2
4340 4350	SDUTH HADLEY FALLS, 11 N.MAIN ST. SDUTHWICK, COLLEGE HGWY.		C.E. IHLOFF J.M.LEWIS, INTERIM	74 78	551 354	
4360 4370	SPENCER, 1ST CONG./U.C.C./, MAIN ST. SPRINGFIELD, EAST, 60 BOWLES PK.	1744	C.H.STRAIGHT G.R.SCHWARZ	69 63	336 451	
4380 4390	SPRINGFIELD, EMMANUEL, 761 SUMNER AVE. SPRINGFIELD, FAITH UNITED		INTERIM E.W.BASCOM, JR.	65	283 793	
4400	52 SUMNER & FT. PLEASANT AVE. SPRINGFIELD, 1ST CH. DF CHRIST, 50 ELM ST.	1637	O.R. LEHMANN	66	830	130
4410	SPRINGFIELD, FOSTER MEM., 1234 PARKER ST.	1946		75 76	523	190
4430	SPRINGFIELD, INDIAN ORCHARD,	1848	W.C.JDNES,M.C.E. B.J.LOCKHEART,INT.,BAPT.	77	85	27
4450 4460	91 BERKSHIRE ST., INDIAN DRCHARD SPRINGFIELD, ST.JOHNS, 643 UNION ST. SPRINGFIELD, SOUTH, 45 MAPLE ST.	1890 1842	F.F.DRIFTMIER	55	□ 216 1,324	
4470	SPRINGFIELD, UNION, 91 JASPER ST.	1923	J.W.AMES, ASSO. N.G.LUND	68 73	220	60
4490	STERLING, FED., MAIN ST. STOCKBRIDGE, 1ST CONG., U.C.C., MAIN ST.	1752	H.A.ANDREWS, INTERIM A.M.COMSTOCK	78 75	A 306	200
4510	STOCKBRIDGE, CONG. CH. OF INTERLAKEN, WILLARD HILL, INTERLAKEN	1824	J.W.MC KINSTRY,Y.	78	□ 27	6
4530	STONEHAM, 1ST CONG., MAIN AT CHURCH & COMMON STS.		G.C.RIEGER E.D.GEIGIS	72 69	654 279	
	STOUGHTON, 76 PIEPCE ST. STURBRIDGE, FEO., MAPLE ST.		F.T. BERKELFY, JR. R.GUSTAFSON, ASSO.	75 77	A 157	174
4560	SUDBURY, MEM. CONG., CONCORD RD. SUNDERLAND	1718	S.G.RUSSELL T.T.SMITH,PT.	73 78	□ 376 97	30
	SUTTON, BOSTON RO.		A.J.BIERKAN L.T.FRENCH, P.EM.	74 35	330	
	SWAMPSCOTT, 1ST, CONG., 40 MONUMENT AVE. SWANSEA, 1ST CHR. CONG. CH.	1846 1693		78 73	453 280	
4600	TAUNTON, UNIDN, W.BRITANNIA & ROCKLAND STS. TEMPLETON, 1ST CH. DF, WELLINGTON RO., D	1868	W.F.PETERSON, Y. EVANG. COV.	74	186 176	85
4640	TEMPLETON, MEM., FLM ST., BALDWINVILLE TEWKSBURY, CONG. CH. /U.C.C./, FAST ST.	1874 1735	O.E.MEXCUR	77	166	62
4660	TOLLAND TOPSFIELD, 9 E-COMMON ST-	1798 1663		70	790	
	TO STREET TO COOKING STR	1003	J.L.MC CORISON, P. EM.	71	. 70	10

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	TOWNSEND, CONG. U.C.C., BROOKLINE ST. TRURD		J.W.MINGUS R.E.DRDNSFIELD, PRESB.	76	226 17	8
4730	UPTON, UNITED PAR. /CONG./, CENTRAL SQ., D UXBRIDGE, 1ST EVANG. CONG. CH., COURT ST. WAKEFIELD, 1ST PAR. CONG.,	1830	L.HEAP,P.E. R.A.JACKMAN H.D.THOMAS J.P.ROBERTSON	68 78 65	A 194 132 857	10 8 16
	WALPOLE, UNION, EAST, RHOADES AVE., EAST WALPOLE		J.R. MARKS, METH., ASSO. R.P. NOBLE O.LOCKWOOD, STUD., ASST.	77	423	
4760	WALPOLE, UNITED CH. IN, COMMON ST.	1927	K.MURRAY,STUD.,ASST. P.P.SHIRE P.J.MAYHER,ASSO.	75 76	744	16
4780	WALTHAM, 1ST, 730 MAIN ST. WALTHAM, LAKEVIEW WAOUNIT, CONG. CH. DF	1924	J.D.JOHNSTON; SR. R.F.HDAGLANDER R.E.SISSON	77 72 74		
4790	WARE, UNITED, CHURCH ST. WAREHAM, 1ST, GIBBS AVE.	1826	W.B.PERRY,MIN.PAR.VIS. W.T.SCOTT,JR. J.W.RA88	77 77 74	A 205 240	11
4830 4840	WARREN, FED. WARNICK, TRINITARIAN CONG., ATHOL RD. WATERTOWN, ARMENIAN MEM. CH., 32 BIGELOW AVE.	1743 1829	D.F.RAY	71 78	A 116 55 254	4
4860 4880	WATERTOWN, PHILLIPS, III MT.AUBURN ST. WEBSTER, 4 CHURCH ST. WELLESLEY, WELLESLEY SQ.	1855 1838	V.F.SHEDD W.B.ABERNETHY	62 75	291 DA 169 1,245	4
	WELLESLEY HILLS, IST CONG., 207 WASHINGTON ST.		D.J.ROTH C.B.ADAMS D.S.DEROGATIS, PRESB.MIN.	76 73 74	1,169	
	WELLFLEET, IST U.C.C. CONG., MAIN ST.		K.C.ROSCHE L.HEAF,P.E. INACTIVE	77	213	5
4930 4940 4950	WENHAM 1ST CH. IN /CONG./, 137 MAIN ST. WESTBORD, THE EVANG., W. MAIN ST. WEST BOYLSTON, 1ST CONG. CH., CENTRAL ST.	1644 1724 1796	W.H.JDHNSON N.G.HELM D.J.HEINTZFLMAN	68 72 73	310 722 675	28 10
4960	WEST BRIDGEWATER, UNITED 1ST CONGUNIT. CH., HOWARD ST. WEST BROOKFIELD, 1ST CONG. CH. OF	1920	C.CHIFFELLE,Y.	75	A 95	2
	WEST BROOKFIELD, N. MAIN ST. WEST CUMMINGTON CONG. CH., WESTFIELD, 1ST, 19 BROAD ST.		C.E.MC EWAN, Y. O.L. REACTICK	71 71	39 766	24
	WESTFIELD, U.C.C. 2ND CONG. CH. OF, 487 WESTERN AVE.		L.BLCOD,ASSO. R.C.FISCHER	78 67 70	370	
5010 5020	WESTFORD, IST PAR. CH. UNITED, MAIN ST. WESTHAMPTON, CONG., NORTH & TOB RDS. WESTMINSTER, STATE RD.& MAIN ST.	1779 1742	G.E.DDWNEY,D1SC. K.E.NICHDLS C.W.LYNEHAN P.E.SHANABRDOK	76 71 71	211 265 332 195	11
5050	WESTON, THE CONG. CH. DF WESTPORT, UNITED CONG., AM. LEGIDN HGWY. R. 177 WEST SPRINGFIELD, 1ST, PARK & LATHROP STS.	1858	P.P.LAWRENCE, INT.  J.S. BARBER	78	94	4
5100	WEST SPRINGFIELD, MITTINEAGUE, 1840 WESTFIELD ST. WEST STOCKBRIDGE	1896	D.L.DICKERMAN P.A.AUSTIN, LAY, C.E. J.W.MC KINSTPY, Y.	77	723	2
5120	WEST TISBURY, 1ST CONG. /U.C.C./, MAIN & MUSIC STS. WESTWOOD, 1ST PAR. OF, UNITED CH.,	1679	J.E.WALLACE E.H.MILLS,P.EM. C.R.HIBSHMAN	73 70	94 630	
5140	NAHATAN & CLAPBOARD TREE STS., D WEYMOUTH, IST, 17 CHURCH ST. WEYMOUTH, EAST, 1320 COMMERCIAL ST.		W.M.MARTIN, ASSO., STUD. G.O.BLUME	77 78	195 n 328	1
5160	WEYMOUTH, OLD SOUTH UNION, 25 COLUMBIAN ST., SOUTH WEYMOUTH WEYMOUTH, PILGRIM, NORTH, ATHENS ST.	1852	T.O.MARTINSON D.B.MC QUEEN			2: I
5195	WHATELY, MAIN ST. WHITINSVILLE, VILLAGE CONG. /U.C.C./, CHURCH ST.	1834	T.T. SMITH R.O. SPARROW	78 76	96 349	1
5210	WHITMAN, 519 WASHINGTON ST. WILBRAHAM, GRACE UNION CH., CHAPEL ST. & MULUNTAIN RD., N.	1876	L.N.HASTINGS R.G. BRUNS P.W. ZECKHAUSEN	71 69 67	126 253 A 665	2:
	WILBRAHAM, UNITED, 500 MAIN ST. WILLIAMSRURG, 1ST CONG., N. MAIN ST.	1771	W.C. JONES, C. ED. J.L. MCCULLDUGH, ASSD. METH. I.G. FERGUSDN	66 78 73	188	2
250	WILLIAMSTOWN, 1ST, MAIN ST. WILMINGTON, MIDDLESEX AVE.	1765	G.L.N.WARD, Y. D.L.CLARK, ASSD. C.KOCMRUIAN, INT.	77 75 78	285	1
290 300	WINCHENDON, 1ST WINCHENDON, UNITED PARISH, 39 FRONT ST. WINCHESTER, 1ST, CHURCH ST.	1763 1843	INACTIVE D.C.BELCHER W.B.DAVIS	77	242 1,057	5
			D.T.RDWLINGSON, METH.ASST. O.K.BLACK, ASST. K.H.ORTH, ASST. B.JOPLING, D.C.E. R.E.FISH, ASST.	76 76 76 76 77		
5340	WINTHROP, UNION, 22 TEWKSBURY ST. WOBURN, MONTVALE, CENTRAL & DRANGE STS.		D.L.CART, P.EM. G.A.PABDDJIAN, INT. R.C.WADE	68	120 163	
5370 5380	WOBURN, MORTH, 896 MAIN ST. WORCESTER, ADAMS SO., 26 BURNCDAT ST. WORCESTER, ARMENIAN CH. OF THE MARTYRS,	1849 1898	R.C. WADE  R.R. ABELE  K.L. HARINGA  H.A. G. HASSESSIAN	78 78 66	315 154 n 75	

	CHURCHES		PASTORS				CHURCH
CHURCH	LOCATION AND NAME OF CHURCH	ORG.	NAME	YEAR		TAL MBERS	SCHOOL ENROLL- MENT
5400	WORCESTER, BETHANY CHR. UN. PAR.,	1891	M.W.GUSTAFSON	76	Α	236	68
5410	1189 MAIN ST. WORCESTER, CENTRAL, 6 INSTITUTE RD.	1820	D.L. MURRAY, DISC.	76		415	127
5440	WORCESTER, CHESTNUT ST. CDNG., 5 CHESTNUT ST. WORCESTER, 1ST CONG., 1070 PLEASANT ST.	1716	J.R. SNYDER	74 78		529 536	95 86
450	WORCESTER, HADWEN PK., 6 CLOVER ST. WORCESTER, HDPE, U.C.C.,595 SOUTHARIOGE ST.		R.F.FENBY D.K.CAIN	72		308 94	26
5470	WORCESTER, LAKE VIEW, 113 COBURN AVF.	1890	S.W.ELLIS H.M.BARTLETT,P.E.	78		122	16
	WORCESTER, PARK, 80 RUSSELL ST. WORCESTER, PILGRIM, 911 MAIN ST.	1887 1885	M.W. PERRY	67		181 92	68
510	WORTHINGTON, HUNTINGTON RD. WRENTHAM, ORIGINAL CONG., DEDHAM & EAST STS.	1771	C.V. ANDERSON	76		148 283	10 225
			L.A.WHISTON, P.EM. P.D. VUILLEUMIER, INTERIM	78		207	84
5530	YARMOUTH, WEST MEMBERSHIP OF CHURCHES DROPPED IN 1978 GIFTS - CHURCH NAME NOT GIVEN TOTALS	1040	P.D. VOILLEOWIERY IN ERIM		13	732	39,546
	CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCHES STANDING DNLY SCHEDULE 1 * BOSTON, ROXBURY, HIGHLAND, 738 PARKER ST.	1869	W.A.RICE,C.C.C.C.	42 61		33 <b>0</b> 180	59 200
1350	CHELMSFORD, NORTH, PRINCETON BLVD. DEERFIELD, 1ST, D	1835	R.T.EVANS	77	_	17	
1530	DDUGLAS, 2ND, EAST, MAIN ST. EDGARTOWN, FED.	1642	P.J.KAKOS INTERIM	77	Δ	160 91	65 21
2380	FALMOUTH, EAST, MATCHVILLE IPSWICH, LINEBROOK	1749	SUMMER SUPPLY INACTIVE				
	LOWELL, COVENANT MARSHFIELD HILLS,		INACTIVE A.TARTAGLIA	78	Δ	30	120
3150	N. CDM. CH. 2ND TRITARIAN CDNG. CH. MT. WASHINGTON, CH. DF CHRIST IN	1874	L.FLETCHER,P.EM. SUMMER SUPPLY	55			
	PEMBROKE, CENTRE ST., RT.14 PEPPERELL, COM., TOWNSEND ST., D		R.G.MDRRIS S.W.WELCH	69 75		317 64	85 153
	QUINCY, HOUGHS NECK, 310 MANET AVE.		L.R.JENKS,STUD.,ASST. M.A.CDREA,C.C.C.C.	76 49	п	223	
	SHIRLEY, UNITED, LANCASTER & HARVARD ROS.JCT. TAUNTON, WEST, WINTHROP & WALKEP STS.	1924	L.W.SILVESTER W.F.PETERSON, EVANG. COV.	73 75	Α	226 81	130
4800	WARE, IST	1751	INACTIVE E.B. JOHNSON, JR.	58		600	
	HEYMOUTH-BRAINTREE, UNION, 74 COMMERCIAL ST., BRAINTREE		S.E.WHITE, LAY, ASST.	78 75		125	
5260 5350	WILLIAMSTOWN, 2ND, HANCOCK RD., RT. 43 WOBURN, IST, 322 MAIN ST. TOTALS - SCHEDULE I		D.L.CLARK, Y. W.W.CLARK, INTERIM	78		303 2,747	150
0150	SCHEDULE II # ANDOVER, FREE CHR., ELM ST.	1846	J.L.OANIEL, JR.	77		318	
0530 0640	BLANDFORO, 1ST, MAIN ST. BOSTON, HYDE PARK, IST, 6 WEBSTER ST.		R.E.PUGH, BAPT. C.D.RDETTGER, METH.	78   76		53 883	
	BOSTON, PARK ST.	1809	K.S.JORDAN, P.E. P.E. TOMS	65		2,301	350
			W.C.BALLBACH, BAPT., C.ED. C.E.WHITE, FREE METH.STUD.	77			
1410	DIGHTON, WEST, HORTON ST.	1842	A.C.EMERY, III, LAY, LEADER A.ELSWICK	77		97	92
2185	HAVERHILL, WARD HILL, L STREET, WARD HILL HAVERHILL, WEST, 767 BROADWAY	1893	L.A.LEATHERS,LO. D.M.MIDWOOD,C.C.C.C.	70 75		93 192	8.
2680	LYNN, 1ST, LYNNFIELD & LANSING RDS.	1632	A.M.STFECE, C.C.	77	п	304	4(
3020	MARIDN, 1ST CONG. CH. DF, MAIN ST. MILFORD, 1ST CONG., CONGRESS ST.	1741	R.B.SINGER, JR. P.K.INGRAM	71		258	120
3630 3890	PEABODY, 2ND, 12 MAPLE ST. QUINCY, WEST, 47 BUCKLEY ST.		K.I.AHD, C.C.C.C.	79   59		114	50
4220 4710	SHUTESBURY, FED.		D.MASSEY, LIC., RAPT. R.F.C HARA	77	п	51	2 !
	TOTALS - SCHEDULE II					5,227	1,219

# SUMMARIES OF CHURCHES ADDED, DROPPED

# CHANGES IN CLASSIFICATION AND YOKED CHURCHES

# CHURCHES ADDED:

ANDOVER, Free Christian To: Schedule II 0150-2 0150

# CHURCHES DROPPED:

0810 BRAINTREE, First

3140 MONTGOMERY, Community

2850 MEDFORD, Mystic

WINCHESTER, Second 5320

# NAMES OF CHURCHES UNITED - MERGED:

None

# YOKED CHURCHES:

0860 - 0900; 0920 - 4970; 1020 - 5110; 1260 - 4975; 1550 - 3110; 1620 - 1630; 2010 - 2020; 2070 - 2080 - 2020; 2070 - 203220; 2230-3000; 2860-2870-2880; 2970-2430; 3720-3740; 3730-3760; 4040-4050; 4600-4610-1; 5250-5240.

# With other denominations:

0220 - Ashfield, with Episcopal

0340 - Becket, Fed., with Baptist

1040 - Carver, with Methodist

1170 - Chicopee, Third, with Methodist and Episcopal

1540 - Egremont, South, with Baptist

1690 - Fitchburg, Faith, united with Methodist

2650 - Lunenburg, with Methodist

4180 - Shelburne Falls, Trinity, with Baptist, Methodist and Episcopal

5000 - Westford, United Parish, with Unitarian Universalist

# CHANGE IN ASSOCIATION:

3690 - PERU, First From: Hampshire Association to - Berkshire Association

# CHANGE IN CLASSIFICATION:

0530 - BLANDFORD, First from U.C.C. to: Schedule II 0530-2

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	Benevolence Contributions		\$1,862,060	1,856,526	1,612,031	1,661,302	1,351,075	1,336,765	1,364,460	1,739,246	9 420 991	2,208,798	1,906,200	1,897,279	2,235,728	1,830,117	1,946,202	9,038,134	1.680.018	1,679,972	1,680,531	1,584,507	1,610,689	1,460,934	1 981 401*	1,180,371	1,050,893	964,659	888,446	891,659	881,015	808,224	550.079	538.089	506,032	431,930	364,337	•
	S. S. Mem.		42,114	45,284	48,598	47,431	52,586	54,749	29,142	65,302	81 140	87.817	94,928	100,206	104,154	109,123	113,209	112,151	108.193	109,289	111,098	116,251	114,971	111,829	100,641	97.442	96,131	91,895	83,422	80,254	78,988	72,102	73,107	71,720	82,823	89,297	91,894	
	REMOVALS		7,734	8,746	8,865	8,563	9,480	11,7/8	12,241	11,838	19,995	11.070	12,470	11,374	12,150	15,536	12,611	14,034	11 595	11,772	12,510	11,504	13,195	12,396	10,837	11.470	10,778	10,220	12,926	10,856	8,760	7,6/2	8,840	7,697	6,637	7,554	7,108	:
	ADDITIONS	Total	6,159	6,842	6,114	6,565	6,528	7,346	6,892	7,327	9,316	8 942	10,070	10,143	10,447	10,961	11,981	12,504	14 039	13,676	14,378	15,165	14,968	14,981	14,942	13.387	12,039	12,656	12,469	10,658	11,150	10,701	9,413	9 419	9,141	9,362	9,369	
	ADDI	Conf.	6,159	3,012	2,907	3,240	3,086	3,631	3,356	3,641	4 996	4 641	4.906	5,089	5,786	6,028	6,641	6,950	6,380	6,340	6,852	7,500	7,425	7,615	7,383	6,873	6,189	6,639	6,616	5,460	6,166	6,241	2,400	5 549	5.911	5,362	5,446	
I ama ( sa masa :	CHURCH MEMBERS IAN. 1	Total	138,499	141,806	144,004	147,612	152,367	156,839	164,350	169,867	185 308	190,300	194, 702	198,600	200,889	205,218	208,241	210,187	213,783	211,309	209,395	207,500	203,417	201,702	199,387	196 011	193,524	193,207	191,325	192,036	193,115	189,719	187,303	187,911	180 156	177,688	176,285	
	Ministers		425	435	444	449	441	443	453	489	/04	452	450	445	460	440	466	449	480	435	424	488	527	538	538	553	503	505	499	502	441	424	415	415	597	420	574	
	Churches		482	485	488	489	496	200	504	510	317	531	539	543	547	555	562	570	589	584	583	584	585	585	287	240	591	592	594	009	009	601	100	90 <del>4</del>	607	209	612	
	Year		1979.	1978	7261	1976	1975	1974	1973	1972	1971	1969	1968	1967	1966	1965	1964	1963	1961	1960	1959	1958	1957	1956	1955	1953	1952	:	1950	1949	1948	1947	1946	1947	1943	1942.	1941	

In the above table the columns of "Additions," "Removals," and "Benevolence Contributions" cover the twelve months next preceding January 1 of the year mentioned in a given line. The number of churches, members, and of Sunday Schools was enumerated January 1, of the year mentioned.

\*Church Building Loan Fund included.

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			Me	Members Added		Total	Church
A SSOCIATIONS	Churches	Total Members	Confessions & Confirmations	Transferred	Total	Removed	Enrollment
Andover	24	5556	158	106	264	346	2857
Barnstable	20	5722	118	304	422	255	1258
Berkshire	28	6024	123	130	253	185	1624
Central	114	28263	701	721	1422	1391	10541
Essex North	16	4139	85	48	133	103	1346
Essex South	31	9645	249	176	425	776	2516
Franklin	28	3508	29	58	117	196	1201
Hampden	37	16166	400	315	715	1212	3768
Hampshire	26	5147	92	170	265	210	1388
Metropolitan	92	37281	621	678	1299	1756	8891
Old Colony	29	6233	201	139	340	383	2293
Pilgrim	37	10815	262	242	504	921	4431
Totals	482	138499	3072	3087	619	7734	42114

TABLE OF SUMMARIES: 11. FINANCES

		OUR CHRIS	OUR CHRISTIAN WORLD MISSION	D MISSION		LOCA	LOCAL EXPENSES	S
ASSOCIATIONS	Basic Support Total	Special Support	Total for OCWM	Other Gifts	Grand Total	Current Local Expenses	Capital Payments	Total
Andover	\$37,908.64	\$33,410.13	\$71,318.77	\$45,785.91	\$117,104,68	\$776,230.91	\$52,152,00	\$828,382,91
Barnstable	45,221,89	37,586.92	82,808.81	65,297.97	148,106.78	779,701,16	86,714,42	866,415.58
Berkshire	39,457,28	27,539,47	66,996.75	21,385,52	88,382,27	881,144,40	48,386,63	929,531.03
Central	232,909,72	167,077,78	400,087.51	269,439,65	669,527.16	3,882,197.55	542,270,32	542,270.32 5,424,467.87
Essex North	21,778,59	20,460.66	42,239.25	30,608.79	72,848.04	535,550,59	27,487.00	563,037.59
Essex South	73,762,33	55,212,35	128,974,68	50,091,01	179,065.69	1,293,835.34	80,114,06	80,114.06 1,373,949.40
Franklin	24,564.66	19,264.16	43,828.82	14,455,11	58,283,93	444,556,03	45,002,72	489,558.75
Hampden	103,379,87	78,861,63	182,141.50	137,464.50	319,606.00	1,902,901.37	116,595,14	2,019,496.51
Hampshire	42,956,49	40,721,33	83,677.82	27,371,03	111,048.85	676,264.73	58,267,10	734,531.83
Metropolitan	323,351,01	214,005.56	537,356.56	318,655,29	856,011,85	5,661,594.30	196,702,42	196,702,42 5,858,296,72
Old Colony	34,610,39	29,405,47	64,015.86	24,233,61	88,249,47	920,544.79	53,293,94	973,838.73
Pilgrim	100,810,92	57,802,60	158,613,52	65,917,45	224,530.97	1,663,792,59	231,443.40	231,443.40 1,895,235.99
Totals	\$1,080,711.79	\$781,348.06	\$781,348.06 \$1,862,059.85 \$1,070,705.84 \$2,932,765.69	\$1,070,705.84	\$2,932,765.69	\$19,418,313.76 \$1,538,429.15 20,956,742,91	\$1,538,429.15	20,956,742,91

# ASSOCIATIONS OF CHURCHES

CENTRAL AREA ASSOCIATE CONFERENCE MINISTER -- Representing the Conference -- Rev. Dr. Donald A. Simpson, 485 Grove Street, Worcester, 01605 - 853-3446

# CENTRAL

Organized - May 3, 1970

Composed of four former Associations:

Brookfield, organized June 13, 1821

Middlesex Mendon, organized April 26, 1933 (by union of Middlesex South organized 1828 and Mendon organized 1858)

Middlesex Union, organized May 8, 1853 (by union of Worcester North, organized Nov. 24, 1827 and Middlesex Union

Worcester, organized April 28, 1963

(by union of Worcester Central, organized April 28, 1852 and Worcester South, organized June 17, 1828)

Number of	Churches 114	, total membership 28,263	
Acton, Congregational	263-2728	*Gilbertville, Trinity Cong'l	867 - 3306
Acton, South Congregational	263-2332	Grafton, Evang. Congregational	839-4513
Ashburnham, Community	827-5553	Grafton, South Union Cong'l	839~2555
Ashby, Congregational	No #	Groton, Union Congregational	448-2091
Ashland, The Federated Church	881-1355	Groton, West, Christian Union	448-3348
Athol, Congregational	249-6202	*Hardwick, Calvinistic Cong'l	No #
Auburn, First Congregational	832-2845	Harvard, Evang. Congregational	456-8788
Auburn, Pakachoag Community	852-5285	Holden, Chaffin Congregational	829-2146
Ayer, Federated	772-2044	Holden, First Congregational	829-5411
Baldwinville, Memorial Templeton	939-8821	Holliston, First Congregational	429-2363
Barre, Congregational	355-4041	Hopedale, Union Evangelical	473-1476
Berlin, Federated First Parish	838-2575	Hopkinton, First Congregational	435-3791
Blackstone, Federated	883-7885	Hubbardston, Federated Evang.	No #
Boxborough, UCC	263-7387	Hudson, First Federated	562-9207
Boylston, First Congregational	869-2027	Lancaster, Evang. Congregational	365-6259
Brimfield, First Cong'l (413)	245-7162	Leicester, Federated	892-3274
Brookfield, First Congregational	No #	Leominster, Christ	537-7054
Charlton, Federated	248-5550	Leominster, Pilgrim Cong'l	527-2887
Clinton, First Congregational	365-4648	Littleton, Congregational	486-3245
Clinton, German Evang. Cong'l	365-9232	Lunenburg, United Parish	582-6572
Douglas, First Congregational	No #	Marlborough, First Evangelical	485-2969
Douglas, East, Second	476-7030	Maynard, Union Congregational	897-2522
Dudley, First, Conant Mem.	943-7320	Milford, First	473-5259
Fitchburg, Elm Street Cong'l	342-0084	Millbury, First Congregational	865-9737
Fitchburg, Faith United Parish	343-3307	Millbury, Raymond Memorial	No #
Fitchburg, Rollstone Cong'l	342-0432	Millbury, Second Federated	865-6274
Fitchburg, Trinity Cong'l	342-9489	Millis, Church of Christ	376-5034
Framingham, Edwards	877-2050	Natick, First Congregational	655~5880
Framingham, Grace Cong'l	872-3342	Natick, Eliot, South	653-2244
Framingham, Plymouth	875-1364	*New Braintree, Congregational	867-3306
Franklin, Federated	528-3803	Norfolk, Federated	528-0262
Gardner, First Congregational	632-2142	Northboro, Trinity	393-8156

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# CENTRAL (Continued)

Northbridge, Center Cong'l	No #	Uxbridge, First Evangelical 278-2423
Northbridge, Rockdale Cong'l	No #	Ware, United Church (413) 967-6839
Oakham, First Cong'l UCC	882-5537	Ware, First, (Inactive) No #
Oxford, First Cong'l, UCC	987-2211	Warren, Federated (413) 436-5582
Paxton, First Congregational	756-2818	Webster, UCC, Federated 943-0061
Pepperell, Community	433-2055	Westborough, Evang. UCC 366-2000
Petersham, Orthodox Cong'l	724-3401	West Boylston, First Cong'l 835-4462
Phillipston, Congregational	No #	West Brookfield, First Cong'l 867-7078
Princeton, First Congregational	464-2837	Westford, United Parish 692-8350
Royalston, First Congregational	No #	Westminster, First Cong'l 874-5790
Royalston, South, Second Cong'l	249-4964	Whitinsville, Village Cong'l 234-7901
Rutland, First Congregational	886-4453	Winchendon, First (Inactive) No #
Sherborn, Pilgrim Congregational	655-1667	Winchendon, United Parish North 297-0616
Shirley, United Parish	425-4065	Worcester, Adams Square Cong'l 852-3429
Shrewsbury, First Congregational	845-7286	Worcester, Church of Martyrs 753-7650
Southborough, Pilgrim Cong'l	485-4847	Worcester, Bethany, Christian Con. 752+8388
Southbridge, Elm Street	764-8058	Worcester, Central Cong'l 755-4978
Spencer, First Congregational	885-2149	Worcester, Chestnut Street Cong'l 752-3785
Sterling, Federated First Church	422-6657	Worcester, First Cong'l 752-4635
Sturbridge, Federated	347-3915	Worcester, Hadwen Park 752-7489
Sudbury, Memorial Cong'l	443-3885	Worcester, Hope Congregational 754-1750
Sutton, First Congregational	865-6914	Worcester, Lake View Cong'l 756-5857
Templeton, First Church	939-8688	Worcester, Park Cong'l 752-2468
Townsend, Congregational	597-8925	Worcester, Pilgrim Congregational753-6970
Upton, United Parish	529-3192	Wrentham, Original Cong'l 384-3110

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<sup>\*</sup>Comprise Tri-Parish Community Church

# METROPOLITAN BOSTON AREA ASSOCIATE CONFERENCE MINISTER - Representing the Conference

Rev. Charles H. Harper, 14 Beacon Street, Boston 02108 - 742-4450

# METROPOLITAN BOSTON

Organized April 12, 1964

by union of SUFFOLK NORTH organized May 23, 1861; SUFFOLK SOUTH, organized May 13, 1861; SUFFOLK WEST, Organized November 17, 1873; and WOBURN, organized September 5, 1848

Number of Ch	irches 92,	total membership 37,281	
Arlington, Park Ave., Congregational	643-4477	Dedham, Riverside Cong'l	326-4751
Arlington, Pleasant St. Congregational		Dover, d.f.	785-0957
Bedford, First Church of Christ	275-7951	Everett, First Cong'l	387-2515
Belmont, First Armenian	484-4779	Everett, Mystic Side Cong'l	389-2860
Belmont, Payson Park	484-1542	Foxboro, Bethany Cong'l	543-5678
Belmont, Plymouth Congregational	484-5257	Lexington, Hnacock, UCC	862-4220
Belmont, Waverly, First Cong'l	484-9730	Lexington, Pilgrim Cong'l	862-0357
Boston, Church of the Covenant, Fed.	266-7480	Lincoln, The First Parish	259-8118
Boston, Grace, Federated	569-5538	Lynnfield, Centre Cong'l	334-3050
Boston, Mount Vernon Cong'l	536-1970	Malden, First	324-3733
Boston, Old South	536-1970	Medfield, The UCC	359-2351
Boston, Park Street Congregational	523-3383	Medford, North St. Union Cong.	395-2471
Boston, Allston Cong'l	254-2920	Medford, Union Congregational	664-3703
Boston, Brighton, Congregational	254-4046	Medford, West Congregational	395-3360
Boston, Charlestown, First	242-3483	Melrose, First Congregational	665-3030
Boston, Dorchester, Col. Pt. CC, UCC	288-0400	Melrose, Highlands Cong'l	665-4200
Boston, Dorchester, Pilgrim	282-0456	Milton, East Congregational	698-0270
Boston, Dorchester, Second	825-2797	Milton, First Congregational	696-8517
Boston, Forest Hills, Covent. Cong'l	524-0775	Needham, Congregational	444-2510
Boston, Hyde Park	361-0374	Newton, Eliot	244-3639
Boston, Jamaica Plain, Boylston	524-9774	Newton, Auburndale Cong'l	527-4636
Boston, Jamaica Plain, Central	524-3343	Newton, Highlands	527-3898
Boston, Roxbury, Eliot Cong'l	445-7525	Newton, Newtonville, CentralCon.	244-5395
Boston, Roxbury, Highlands	445-7106	Newton, Waban, Union	527-6221
Boston, Roxbury, St. Mark Cong'l	442-0481	Newton, West, Second	244-2690
Boston, West Roxbury, Stratford St. Un		North Reading Union	664-3703
Brookline, Harvard	277-6860	Norwood, First Cong'l	762-3320
Burlington, UCC, Cong'l	272-4547	Quincy, Bethany Cong'l	479-7300
Cambridge, First	876-5829	Quincy Point, Cong'l	773-0958
Cambridge, North Cong'l UCC	547-1448	Quincy, First, Squantum	328-6649
Cambridge, Pilgrim Cong'l	354-4385	.Quincy, N. Quincy, Mem. Cong'l	328-5240
Cambridge, Prospect Cong'l	354-0895	Quincy, West Cong'l	472-0523
Canton, UCC	828-2131	Quincy, Wollaston Cong'l	773-7432
Chelsea, First Congregational	884-0949	Quincy, Wollaston, Union Cong'l	479-6661
Concord, Trinitarian Cong'l	369-4837	Reading, First Congregational	944-0205
Concord, Union, West	369-6309	Somerville, Broadway Winter Hill	623-3442
Dedham, Allin Congregational	326-5050	Somerville, First Congregational	625-6485

# METROPOLITAN BOSTON (Continued)

Somerville, Prospect Hill	924-3383	Wellesley Congregational	235-1988
Stoneham, First Congregational	438-0097	Wellesley Hills First Church	235-4424
Wakefield, First Parish Cong'l	245-1539	Weston Congregational	899-5417
Walpole, United Church	668-0551	Westwood d.f. First Parish	326-5344
Walpole, East, Union Cong'l	668-1355	Winchester, First Cong'l	729-9180
Waltham, First Congregational	899-3891	Winthrop Union	846-4005
Waltham, Lakeview	893-0636	Woburn, First Congregational	933-1642
Watertown, Armenian Mem. Church	923-0498	Woburn, Montvale	933-1090
Watertown, Phillips Cong'l	924-3664	Woburn, North	933-1229

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# ANDOVER

# Organized - June 8, 1859

Number of Ch	urches 24,	total membership 5,556	
Andover, Ballardvale United	475-2506	Lawrence, South Congregational	683-9163
Andover, Free Christian	475-0700	Lawrence, Spanish Evangelical	686-6552
Andover, South	475-0321	Lawrence, Hope Congregational	682-5700
Andover, West Parish	475-3528	Lowell, Christ Church United	459-9631
Billerica, Dale Community	663-5931	Lowell, Covenant	No #
Billerica, First Congregational	663-8433	Lowell, Pawtucket Congregational	452-2144
Billerica, Pinehurst Community Cong'	1663-3750	Methuen, Bethel Armenian	No #
Chelmsford, Central Congregational	256-5931	Methuen, First Church Cong'l	687-1240
Chelmsford, North	251-8187	Methuen, Forest Street Union	683-8523
Dracut, Christ Church United	459-2022	North Andover, Trinitarian	686-4445
Dunstable, Congregational	649-7465	Tewksbury Cong'l UCC	851-9411
Lawrence, Riverside United Cong'l	686-5542	Wilmington Congregational	658-2264

Moderator, Mrs. Ione Henderson, 456 Pleasant St., Dracut 01826 Vice Moderator, (None) Secretary-Treasurer, Rev. Hugh W. Evans, 128 Mill Rd., Chelmsford 01824

# ESSEX NORTH

# Organized - April 30, 1828

Number of Churches 16,	total membership 4,139	
Amesbury, Main St., Congregational 388-0982	Haverhill, Riverside Memorial	374-9427
Amesbury, Union Congregational 338-0631	Haverhill, Ward Hill	372-9106
Boxford, Second, West Congregational 352-2127	Haverhill, West	372-0144
Georgetown, Byfield Parish 352-2022	Merrimac, Pilgrim Cong'l	346-8400
Georgetown, First Congregational 352-8443	Newbury, First Parish	465-5597
Groveland Congregational 372-3463	Newburyport, Belleville Cong'l	465-7734
Haverhill, Bradford First Church of C. 375-1114	Newburyport, Central Cong'l	465-0533
Haverhill, First Congregational 373-3031	Rowley, First Congregational	948-3993

Moderator, Mr. Henry L. Farmer, III, 287 High St., Newburyport 01950 Vice Moderator, Rev. Ellsworth D. Comins, 101 Church St., Merrimac 01860 Scribe, Rev. Frank R. Cutter, 1 Hanover St., Newbury 01950 Treasurer, Miss Rose Kochakian, 42 Grove St., Haverhill 01833

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# ESSEX SOUTH

# Organized -- May 8, 1827

Number of Ch	urches 31,	total membership 9,645	
Beverly, Dane Street Congregational	922-4325	Lynn, First	599-3170
Beverly, First, Federated	922-5135	Lynnfield, Community	599-4421
Beverly, Immanuel	922-3174	Manchester, Orthodox Cong'l	526-7661
Beverly, Second Congregational	922-5722	Marblehead, First Ch. of Chr.	631-0620
Boxford, First Church Congregational	887-5841	Middleton	774-3788
Danvers, First	774-0116	Nahant	581-1350
Danvers, Maple Street Congregational	774-4510	Peabody, Second Cong'l	531-0477
Essex, First Congregational	768-7855	Peabody, South Congregational	531-1964
Gloucester, Magnolia Union	525-3891	Rockport, First Congregational	546-6638
Gloucester, Trinity Congregational	283-1442	Salem, Crombie Street Cong'l	745-1121
Hamilton, First Congregational	468-1940	Salem, Tabernacle	744-3164
Ipswich, First Church Congregational	356-2211	Saugus, Cliftondale UCC	233-2663
Ipswich, Linebrook (Inactive)	No #	Saugus, First Congregational	233-3028
Lynn, Bethany Congregational	598-0365	Swampscott, First Congregational	592-6081
Lynn, Central Congregational	592-8718	Topsfield Congregational	887-2101
		Wenham, First Church	468-2668

Moderator, Rev. J. Yorke Peeler, Jr., 68 Conant St., Beverly 01915 Vice Moderator, Mrs. Sewell Bowers, 25 Pine Road, Beverly 01915 Scribe, Rev Warren H. Johnson, 10 Arbor St., Wenham 01984 Treasurer, Mr. Richard Thorngren, 938 Salem, St., Lynnfield 01940

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### BARNSTABLE

# Organized - October 28, 1828

Number of Churches 20, total membership 5,722

775-8332	Harwich, First Congregational	432-1053
428-6163	Harwich Port, Pilgrim Cong'l	432-1668
945-0800	Orleans, Federated	255-3060
394-5992	Sandwich, First Church of Christ	888-0434
385-3543	Truro, First Cong'l Parish	487-9240
398-6420	Waquoit, Congregational	548-5269
627-4421	Wellfleet, UCC First Cong'l	349-2714
548-8802	West Barnstable, West Parish Con	. 362-4445
548-3700	West Tisbury, First Cong'l	645-2615
563-2177	West Yarmouth, Congregational	775-0891
	428-6163 945-0800 394-5992 385-3543 398-6420 627-4421 548-8802 548-3700	428-6163 Harwich Port, Pilgrim Cong'l 945-0800 Orleans, Federated 394-5992 Sandwich, First Church of Christ 385-3543 Truro, First Cong'l Parish 398-6420 Waquoit, Congregational 627-4421 Wellfleet, UCC First Cong'l 548-8802 West Barnstable, West Parish Con 548-3700 West Tisbury, First Cong'l

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# OLD COLONY

# Organized - November 5, 1930

Number of Churches 29, total membership 6,233						
Assonet, UCC	644-2603	Middleboro, North Congregational	947-0732			
Attleboro Falls, Central Cong'l	699-7700	New Bedford, Pilgrim UCC	997-9086			
Attleboro, Second Congregational	222-4677	North Attleboro, First	695-1713			
Berkley, UCC	822-6860	Norton, Trinitarian Cong'l	285-4710			
Dartmouth, South Congregational	993-6676	Raynham, First Congregational	822-6177			
Dartmouth, Smith Mills North Cong'l	994-6422	Rehoboth Congregational	252-4545			
Dighton, West	252-3822	Rochester, East	295-2447			
Fairhaven, First Congregational	993-3368	Rochester, North Congregational	763-8827			
Fall River, Central Congregational	679-6835	Somerset, Cong'l Christian	672-6623			
Fall River, United Church of Christ	673-2077	South Attleboro, Bethany Cong.	761-7698			
Lakeville, UCC	947-2441	Swansea, First Christian	673-7179			
Mansfield, Orthodox Cong'l	339-4793	Taunton, Union	824-0656			
Marion, First Congregational	748-1053	Taunton, West Congregational	824-5230			
Mattapoisett Congregational	758-2671	Wareham, First Congregational	295-1630			
		Westport, United Congregational	636-5829			

Moderator, Mr. Stephen K. Holford, 387 Willow St., Mansfield 02048 Vice Moderator, Rev. Donald H. Finley, Box 284, Mattapoisett 02739 Scribe, Miss Ellen E. Swanson, 12 Locust Avenue, Rehoboth 02769 Treasurer, Mrs. Leonard Walsh, 24 North Main Street, Assonet 02702

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# PILGRIM

Reorganized Oct. 1923 Norfolk, organized 1827; Pilgrim, 1830

Number of Churches 37, total membership 10,815					
Abington, UCC	878-0199	Marshfield Hills, Federated	834-4282		
Braintree, South Congregational	+ 843-5155	Norwell, UCC Congregational	659-2887		
Bridgewater, Central Sq. Cong'l	697-6016	Pembroke, First Congregational	293-2584		
Bridgewater, Scotland Cong'l	697-6787	Plymouth, Second Manomet	224-2113		
Brockton, First Parish Cong'l	586-2688	Plymouth, Pilgrimage	746-3026		
Brockton, Lincoln Cong'l	587-8219	Plympton, UCC First Cong'l	585-0772		
Brockton, Porter UCC Cong'l	586-4615	Quincy, Hough's Neck	479-8778		
Brockton, South Congregational	586-1739	Randolph, First Congregational	963-6373		
Brockton, Waldo Congregational	583-8184	Rockland, First Congregational	878-1790		
Carver, First Congregational	866-4493	Scituate, First Trinitarian	<b>54</b> 5-5300		
Cohasset, Beechwood Cong'l	383-0808	Sharon, First Congregational	784-2631		
Cohasset, Second Congregational	383-0345	Stoughton, First Congregational	344-2371		
Duxbury, Pilgrim	934-6591	West Bridgewater, d.f.	587-3118		
East Bridgewater, Union Cong'l	378-2874	Weymouth, Braintree, Union C.	843-9757		
Halifax, United Church of Christ	293-6393	Weymouth East, Congregational	335-6919		
Hanover, First Congregational	826-4762	Weymouth, First	335-1686		
Hingham, Congregational	749-2105	Weymouth South, Old So. Union	335-2545		
Marshfield, First Congregational	834-7664	Weymouth North, Pilgrim Cong.	337-2075		
		Whitman, First Congregational	447-5557		

+Withdrew from the UCC, 1-17-79; Released by Pilgrim Assn.from covenant obligations 4/1.

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# BERKSHIRE

Organized May 12, 1960 by union of Berkshire North, Organized December 3, 1867 - Berkshire South, Organized August 29, 1860

Number of Churches 28, total membership 6,024					
Becket, Federated	623-5217	Peru, First Congregational	(586-0366*		
Canaan, N. Y. Congregational (518)	781-4982*		(238-7793		
	(232-4256	Pittsfield, First Church of Christ	(447-7351		
Dalton, First Congregational	684-1715		(447-7443		
Egremont, South, First Cong'l	528-0397*	Pittsfield, Immanuel Comm.	(442-7357		
Great Barrington, First Cong'l	528-2740		(449-1898*		
Hinsdale, First Congregational	(655-8881*	Pittsfield, Pilgrim Memorial	(447-7443		
	(655-2670		(442-7351		
Housatonic, Congregational	274-6045*	Pittsfield, Second Congregational	442-4574		
Lee, First Congregational	243-1033	Pittsfield, South Congregational	(442-7357		
Lenox, UCC	637-1001		(449-1898		
Middlefield, Congregational	655-8881*	Richmond, UCC	698-2575		
Monterey, UCC	(528-1031*	Sheffield, Old Parish Cong'l	229-8173		
	(528-9637	Stockbridge, First Cong'l	298-3137		
Mount Washington (CC)	No #	Stockbridge, Interlaken	298-4683*		
New Marlboro, United Church	229-8106	Tyringham, Union (CC)	(248-9848*		
North Adams, First Cong'l	663-9940		(637-0838		
		West Stockbridge Congregational	232-4256		
		William stown, First Cong'l	458-4273		
*Parish House		William stown, Second (CC)	458-3467*		

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# FRANKLIN

# Organized October 10, 1843

Number of Churches 28, total membership 3,508						
Ashfield Parish	628-4470	Heath, Union Evangelical	337-4489			
Bernardston, United Church	648-9306	Montague, First Congregational	367-2818			
Buckland, First Congregational	369-4258*	Montague, Millers Falls First C.	659-3344*			
Charlemont, Federated, First	339-4258*	Montague, Turners Falls First C.	863-9844			
Conway, United	369-4040	New Salem, Central Cong'l	544-3546			
Deerfield, First	773-7056	Northfield, Trinitarian Cong'l	498-2431			
Deerfield, South Congregational	665-7916	Orange, Central Cong'l	544-6811			
Erving, Evangelical Congregational	659-3344	Orange, Com. North	249-3852			
Gill, First Congregational	498-2205	Shelburne, First Cong'l	625-214.8*			
Greenfield, First Congregational	774-3449	Shelburne Falls, Trinity	625-2341			
Greenfield, Robbins Memorial	774-2559	Sunderland, First Cong'l	665-3639			
Greenfield, Second Congregational	774-4355	Warwick, Trinity Cong'l	544-2630			
Hawley, First (Inactive)	No #	Wendell (Inactive)	No #			
Hawley, Second Congregational	628-4440	Whately, First	265-3537			

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# HAMPSHIRE

Organized 1865: Hampshire, East 1860. Reorganized 1927

Number of Churches 26, total membership 5,147					
Amherst, First Congregational	253-5055	Haydenville, Congregational	253-7062		
Amherst, Hope	253-2706	Huntington, First Congregational	667-5546		
Amherst, North Congregational	549-0500	Leverett, First Congregational	549-4857		
Amherst, South Congregational	253-5865	Northampton, Edwards	584-5500		
Belchertown, Congregational UCC	323-7442	Northampton, First Church of C.	584-9392		
Chesterfield, First Congregational	296-4453	Pelham, United Church	253-3820		
Cummington, Village Congregational	1634-5508	Plainfield, Congregational	253-2245		
Cummington, West	634-5508	Shutesbury, Federated	249-3305		
Easthampton, Congregational	527-4790	Southampton, First Cong'l	527-1173		
Granby, Congregational	467-2143	South Hadley, First Cong'l	532-2262		
Hadley, First Congregational (Y)	584-4117	Westhampton, Easthampton Cong.	527-4204		
Hadley, Second, North Cong'l (Y)	584-4117	Williamsburg, First Cong'l	268-7557		
Hatfield, First Congregational	247-5406	Worthington, First Cong'l	238-7793		

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# HAMPDEN Organized December 4, 1850

Number of Churches 37, total membership 16,166					
Agawam Congregational UCC	786-5061	Palmer, Three Rivers Union Evang.	283-5233		
Agawam, Feeding Hills Cong'l	786-7111	South Hadley Falls Cong'l	539-9373		
Blandford, First Congregational	848-2052	Southwick Congregational	569-6362		
Chester, UCC, Second Cong'l	568-7591	Springfield, East	734-3856		
Chicopee, First Congregational	592-0396	Springfield, Emmanuel UCC	732-2738		
Chicopee, Third, Fed. Cong'l	592-6007	Springfield Faith United	739-4728		
East Longmeadow Congregational	525-4121	Springfield First Church of Christ	737-1411		
Granville, First Federated	357-8583	Springfield Foster Memorial	782-2112		
Granville, West	No #	Springfield Indian Orchard First C.	543-4204		
Hampden, Federated	566-3711	Springfield St. John's	734-2283		
Holyoke, Grace United	538-8831	Springfield South Congregational	732-0117		
Holyoke, Second Congregational	532 <b>-1</b> 483	Springfield Union	732-2950		
Longmeadow, First Church of Christ567-5147		Tolland	No #		
Ludlow, First Congregational	583-3339	Westfield, First Congregational	568-8946		
Ludlow, Union Church of Christ	583-5717	Westfield, Second Cong'l UCC	568-7557		
Monson, First Church	267-3312	West Springfield, First Cong'l	739-6608		
Palmer, Second Congregational	283-6958	West Springfield, Mittineague Con.	734-1290		
Palmer, Thorndike	665-4487	Wilbraham, Grace Union, North	596-4397		
		Wilbraham, United Church	596-4030		

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